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ANNUAL REPORT

OF

THE SELECTMEN

OF THE

TOWN OF HANOVER, N. H.

FOR THE YEAR ENDING
JAN. 31

1927

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OFFICERS OF THE TOWN OF HANOVER

Moderator

HARRY E. BURTON

Town Clerk

GEORGE M. BRIDGMAN

Selectmen

CHARLES A. HOLDEN (term expires 1927)
ANDREW B. ELDER (term expires 1928)
CARL C. WARD (term expires 1929)

Town Treasurer

ALFRED W. GUYER

Board of Health, Town District

CHARLES A. HOLDEN
ANDREW B. ELDER
CARL C. WARD
WILLIE G. SPENCER

Auditors

HALSEY C. EDGERTON
JOHN B. HOWARD

Tax Collectors

MRS. ADAH J. SMITH
LELAND S. MERRILL

Highway Agents

LELAND S. MERRILL
C. R. MORFITT

Supervisors

ALBERT W. CONNER WILLIAM H. MURRAY
HARLEY H. CAMP

Library Trustees

MRS. E. F. EMERSON (term expires 1927)
ADNA L. CAMP (term expires 1928)
ROBERT FLETCHER (term expires 1929)

Trustees of Trust Funds

FRANCIS V. TUXBURY (term expires 1927)
JOHN A. HUMISTON (term expires 1928)
HALSEY C. EDGERTON (term expires 1929)

Fence Viewers

JAMES SPENCER DANIEL O. HOYT
IRVING P. FITTS

Surveyors of Wood and Lumber

JOHN A. HUMISTON WILLIAM H. HART

Prosecuting Agent to Prosecute Violation of the Liquor Laws

HAROLD R. BRUCE

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the inhabitants in the town of Hanover in the County of Grafton, in the State of New Hampshire qualified to vote in town affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet in the Nugget Theatre in said Hanover on Tuesday, the eighth day of March next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon to act upon the following subjects:

First: To choose by a ballot a clerk to serve for one year.

Second: To hear the reports of the Selectmen, Treasurer, Auditors and other town officers and committees and pass any vote relating thereto.

Third: To choose by ballot

To serve for three years

One Selectman
One Library Trustee
One Trustee of Trust Funds

To serve for one year

One Treasurer
Two Auditors
Three Fence Viewers
Two Surveyors of Wood and Lumber

A Prosecuting Agent to prosecute violations of the Liquor Laws and any other necessary town officers.

Fourth: To raise such sum of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year and make appropriation of the same.

Fifth: To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of One Hundred Fifty Dollars for the benefit of the Etna Fire Association.

Sixth: To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of One Hundred Fifty Dollars, in addition to the amount called for in the budget, for the benefit of the Hanover Town Library.

Seventh: To see if the town will vote to publish a History of Hanover, manuscript for which was nearly completed by Professor John K. Lord prior to his death, and to take any action with reference thereto.

Eighth: To transact any other business that legally may be brought before said meeting.

Given under our hands and seal this nineteenth day of February in the year of our Lord, nineteen hundred and twenty-seven.

Signed:
[L. S.]

CARL C. WARD,
CHARLES A. HOLDEN,
ANDREW B. ELDER,

Selectmen of Hanover, N. H.

A true coppy of Warrant—Attest:

CARL C. WARD,
CHARLES A. HOLDEN,
ANDREW B. ELDER,

Selectmen of Hanover, N. H.

ABSTRACTS FROM TOWN CLERK'S RECORD

At a legal meeting of the inhabitants of the town of Hanover, held pursuant to warrant, on Tuesday the 9th day of March, 1926, at ten of the clock in the forenoon, at the Nugget Theater in said town, the meeting was called to order by Harry E. Burton, the Moderator. After the reading of the warrant under which the meeting was called proceeded to the election of town officers and other business as follows:

For Town Clerk
GEORGE M. BRIDGMAN

For Selectman for Three Years
CARL C. WARD

For Library Trustee for Three Years
ROBERT FLETCHER

For Trustee of Trust Fund for Three Years
HALSEY C. EDGERTON

For Treasurer
ALFRED W. GUYER

For Auditors
HALSEY C. EDGERTON JOHN B. HOWARD

For Fence Viewers
JAMES SPENCER DANIEL O. HOYT

IRVING P. FITTS
For Surveyors of Wood and Lumber

WILLIAM H. HART JOHN A. HUMISTON

For Prosecuting Agent to Prosecute Violations of the Liquor Laws
HAROLD R. BRUCE

Under the Fourth Article of the warrant it was *Voted*:

That in addition to the State, County, Highway and regular Poll Taxes provided by law, the Town raise the sum of Twenty-four thousand two hundred ($24,200) dollars and appropriate said sum and all other moneys, which may be paid into the Treasury and which are not required by law otherwise to be expended, in accordance with the budget and report as presented by the Selectmen.

Voted:

That authority is hereby granted the Selectmen to borrow on notes issued for not over one year, an amount not to exceed twenty thousand ($20,000) dollars in addition to what shall be raised otherwise.

Voted:

To pass over the Fifth article in the warrant.

Under the sixth article of the warrant it was voted:

To raise and appropriate the sum of two hundred and fifty dollars for the benefit of the Etna Fire Association.

Under the seventh article in the warrant the following motion was introduced:

"That the Town of Hanover, N. H., in conjunction with the Village Precinct of Hanover, N. H., build and equip a Municipal Building at a total cost not to exceed sixty thousand ($60,000.00) dollars, said building to be along the general lines indicated by the architect's drawings as exhibited at this meeting by the Committee on Municipal Building and to be located upon the present Precinct property at the corner of Main Street and Allen Lane."

Upon the foregoing motion discussion ensued participated in by Perley R. Bugbee, Frank A. Musgrove, Professor J. P. Richardson, H. D. Foster, F. E. Austin and others.

A vive voice vote was taken upon the motion but the Moderator was unable to decide and called for rising vote which resulted as follows:

In favor of the motion, 65 votes.

Against the motion, 116 votes and the motion was declared lost.

Upon motion:

Voted:

That the Selectmen be authorized and requested to join with the Precinct Commissioners in providing for an investigation and report concerning (1) The needs of the Town and Precinct for major objects of new construction and equipment over the next several years. (2) Estimates of the cost of such objects of outlay. (3) Ways and means of financing such outlay. and that for the expenses of such investigation and report the Town raise and appropriate the sum of $1,000.00.

Upon motion of Prof. L. B. Richardson:

Voted:

That the Selectmen be requested to confer, before final settlement of their budget, with the officers of such other divisions of the Town as adopt in their annual meeting a resolution similar to this. The purpose of this conference shall be the discussion of the recommended appropriations as a whole, the proper correlation of the recommendations of the officers of each division with those of the others.

That the Selectmen be requested to take the initiative in calling this meeting.

That a summary of the recommendations of each of the groups of officers participating in this conference, arrived at after consideration of the information there obtained, be published in a separate section of the Town report. This section shall contain the total of the budget and other recommendations of each participating division, with an estimate of its effect upon the tax rate, and a summary giv-

ing the combined effect of all the estimates and the resulting total tax rate within each of the divisions of the Town. As a basis of comparison, similar figures for the previous year shall also be included in this section of the report.

That until action to the contrary be taken, the procedure thus outlined be considered as the established policy of the Town.

Upon Motion:

Voted:

That the Town raise and appropriate the sum of seventy-five dollars for the Town Library in addition to the amount specified in the budget.

Voted to pass over the eighth and ninth articles in the warrant.

Upon motion

Voted:

That the Selectmen be authorized to borrow such sums of money as may be necessary to meet the town's obligations until the taxes have been collected and paid into the treasury.

Upon motion:

Voted:

That the Town discontinue that portion of the highway leading from the four corners known as the Mason four corners, (meaning the first four corners northerly from the reservoir on the road leading northerly between the reservoirs) to the buildings on the Pinneo farm so called, or such portion of said road as in the judgment of the Selectmen is expedient.

Voted:

That the Selectmen either directly or through a Committee appointed by them, investigate the question of the desirability of establishing a town forest and report to the next town meeting.

Voted:

That upon all taxes upon real and personal property a discount of five per cent be allowed the taxpayer if paid on or before July 15, 1926, and a discount of three per cent if paid on or before September 15, 1926.

The following communication from Prof. W. A. Adams was handed in and read to the meeting by the Moderator:

To Town and Precinct officers of the Town of Hanover.

Dear Sirs:

It is my personal opinion that a college town like Hanover, (older, I believe, than our National Government), ought to have an adequate Town Hall building. I have lived here since the fall of 1899, and this opinion then is based upon some observation.

My reasons are those of every thoughtful citizen; I mention a few of them.

In order that Hanover may the sooner realize its bes self, higher possibility.

Religion is unusually well housed in its three churches.

Education (perhaps our chief avenue to usefulness in the world) is on the whole wonderfully well housed, both in College and Schools.

Nature aided by Mr. Tuck and others has certainl done nobly.

Public betterment has certainly made a fine beginning and is constantly growing. But on the side of housing our local government we lag behind lamentably.

If we could only house appropriately this very important set of interests we might, in my opinion, deem ourselves on the road to small town distinction. To national affairs we have given Webster, Choate and Salmon P. Chase; President Tucker and President Hopkins also (in no small de-

gree) ; is it not high time then for us to develop our lagging housing place for local government. We have good citizenry, many excellent town officers etc., etc. Hasn't the time now finally come to house this important side of our town activity? I for one think so.

Very truly yours,

WARREN AUSTIN ADAMS.

P. S.: May I add in a postscript that I should like to be allowed to contribute $1,000 to this project if adopted. I do this because I should like to back up my opinion; also out of gratitude for what this town has done for my family; and lastly as a tribute to the memory of Henry Adams and his mother.

W. A. A.

At the biennial election in the Town of Hanover, November 2d, 1926, Andrew B. Elder and James P. Richardson were elected representatives to the General Court.

William H. Murray, Harley H. Camp and Albert W. Connor, Supervisors of the Checklist, Harry E. Burton, Moderator.

Attest:

GEORGE M. BRIDGMAN,
Town Clerk.

At a legal meeting of the inhabitants of the Town of Hanover, on Wednesday, the 29th day of September, 1926 at seven forty-five o'clock in the evening the following subjects were acted upon:

The first article in the warrant was to see what action the town will take regarding needed repairs on Ledyard Bridge.

The Municipal Finance Committee made a lengthy report upon the condition of the bridge and moved:

That the town approve the repairing and improving of Ledyard Bridge by the installation of wood arches, strengthened abutments and pier, the addition of a sidewalk on the north side of the present structure, the strengthening of the floor system and other changes incidental to the foregoing, substantially in accordance with the advice of Mr. J. P. Snow, engineer, and the recommendation of the Municipal Finance Committee, and that the Selectmen be authorized and instructed to take such steps as may be necessary for carrying out this work.

A vote was taken upon the foregoing motion and it was by the Moderator, declared in the affirmative.

Upon the second article in the warrant which was: "To see if the Town will vote to discontinue that portion of the highway leading northerly from the buildings on what is known as the William Wardrobe farm near Hanover Center, to the highway passing by the buildings owned or occupied by Roy Rennie near the Hanover and Lyme town line."

Discussion ensued

A vote being taken upon the question it was decided in the negative.

Voted:

"That the Moderator appoint a committee to prepare resolutions in regard to the death of Dr. W. J. Tucker, that a copy be sent to Mrs. Tucker and a like copy filed with the Town Clerk of Hanover."

The Moderator appointed the Selectmen as the Committee.

Voted to adjourn.

Adjourned.

A true copy of the record.

Attest:

George M. Bridgman,
Town Clerk.

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE SELECTMEN OF HANOVER

The Selectmen of the Town of Hanover herewith present their annual report.

In accordance with the programme outlined at the last town meeting construction was started on the Trunk Line at the point near the foot of County Hill where the construction of the previous year terminated. Since this work was to be done under Federal Aid it was necessary to keep a less grade than could be done on the present location of the highway without incurring too great an expense. Accordingly the road for about 1,900 feet southerly from the top of the hill was relocated somewhat to the north and on the side of the hill. This will make the maximum grade not over 8 per cent and will remove one of the hardest grades from Hanover to the White Mountains.

The section under construction will extend to the schoolhouse and will leave about 1.17 miles which will need to be rebuilt soon in order to complete the reconstruction to the Hanover-Lyme town line.

Due to the delay in obtaining Federal approval for the project, construction was not started until September so that the work will have to be completed during the present year. From one aspect this was favorable since thereby it was possible to finance the extensive repairs which became imperative at Ledyard Bridge and which are of the nature of new construction.

The repairs to Ledyard Bridge have been made in accordance with the recommendations of the Committee appointed by the Selectmen following the vote at the last annual town meeting and the vote of the special town meeting. The work included the construction of four timber arches and the installation of so much new material in the floor system that it is practically new construction. The work which is

nearly completed will make the bridge safe for the loads specified by the State for new bridges. In addition, a sidewalk has been placed on the northerly side of the bridge to make passage of the bridge safe and comfortable for pedestrians. It is believed that the renovated bridge will serve traffic for from fifteen to twenty-five or more years.

The State Aid road in Etna, including a concrete bridge over Mink Brook near Mr. Will Paine's house was finished early in the year and makes it possible to travel in comfort at any season of the year from Etna to the Hanover-Lebanon State Aid road at Cutting's Corner.

A new steel I-Beam bridge has been erected to replace a weakened wooden bridge on the Ruddsboro Road near Mr Frank Emerson's house. The policy of widening roads and ditches and removing boulders and ledges has been continued. The tractor and snow plow are proving effective in plowing roads and more demands are made each year for such work.

The experimental wooden snow fence which has been used for two winters on the Trunk Line near Mr. W. W. Cumming's house has proved so effective in preventing drifts that the Selectmen have placed an item of $200 in the budget for purchasing picket fencing which will cost less than the wooden fencing. If this fencing proves satisfactory it is planned to purchase more fencing each year.

While the Selectmen were authorized to borrow $20,000 on temporary notes only $2,000 had been issued on January 31, 1927, and but $156.72 had been paid for interest during the year.

In accordance with the vote at the last town meeting the Selectmen met with the other governmental groups to consider the needs of each group in preparing their budgets. A consolidated statement of the proposed budget and the effect on taxation is shown on page 21.

SUMMARY OF RECEIPTS COMPARED WITH BUDGET

	Actual Receipts 1926	Budget Estimate 1927
CURRENT REVENUE		
From Local Taxes		
Property and poll taxes previous years	2 740 91	
Poll taxes, current year	2 706 00	2 700
National Bank stock taxes	558 00	550
Property taxes, current year for		
Schools	51 581 16	
Precinct	17 445 00	20 250
State tax	10 110 00	10 000
County tax	8 783 08	9 000
Highway tax required by law	5 000 00	5 000
By vote of Town		
Balance to meet budget	21 245 60	27 000
(Total from local taxes $120 169 75)		
From State		
Insurance tax	58 50	50
Railroad tax	193 69	175
Savings Bank tax	3 737 76	3 500
Interest and dividend tax	4 882 27	4 500
Forest Fire Prevention	24 99	20
For Highways:		
State Aid Construction (town)	1 573 50	1 643
State Aid maintenance (town)	3 476 62	4 025
State Aid maintenance (precinct)	1 461 73	1 600
Trunk Line maintenance (town)	3 033 79	3 650
Trunk Line maintenance (precinct)	1 586 94	1 850
Trunk Line Construction (town)	10 741 56	20 322
Paine Bridge, Etna	869 39	
(Total for highways from State $22,743.53)		

For Bounties	27 00	50
(Total from State $31,667.74)		
From County for Poor		50
From Local Sources except taxes		
Automobile permits	6 298 50	6 000
Dog licenses	565 38	500
Billiard licenses	90 00	50
Vendor's licenses and taxes	575 15	550
Fines from Municipal Court	460 58	100
Primary Fees	8 00	
Trustees of trust funds for support of poor	8 50	10
Dartmouth College	3 000 00	3 000
(Total from local sources except taxes $11,006.11)		
Total Current Revenue	162 843 60	126 145
RECEIPTS OTHER THAN CURRENT REVENUE		
Notes issued in anticipation of taxes	25 500 00	
Balance due School District No. 1	20 000 00	
Balance due Town School	2 000 00	
Refunds	712 03	
Equipment rentals, charges to State Highway	2 602 25	
Balance from previous year	3 127 39	1 384
Due from Norwich account, Ledyard Bridge		3 500
Notes to defray part of highway construction cost carried to next year		23 971
(Total receipts other than current revenue $53,941.67)		
Grand Total	216 785 27	
Grand Total, excluding schools	165 204 11	155 000

SUMMARY OF PAYMENTS COMPARED WITH BUDGET

	Actual Payments 1926	Budget Estimate 1927
CURRENT MAINTENANCE EXPENSE		
General Government (See page 30)		
Town officers' salaries and expenses	3 818 77	3 800
Election and registration expenses	174 00	70
Municipal Court expenses	300 00	350
Legal expenses	10 00	500
Protection of Persons and Property (See Page 31)		
Fire Protection	299 98	100
White pine blister rust extermination	497 87	500
Bounties	12 60	50
Damage by dogs, etc.	271 00	200
Officer Humane Society	50 00	50
Health (See page 32)		
Health department	22 00	50
Vital statistics	3 75	30
Highways and Bridges		
State Aid maintenance (town)		
Town's contribution	3 384 47	4 025
State's construction	3 476 62	4 025
Trunk Line maintenance (town)		
Town's contribution	3 230 58	3 650
State's contribution	3 033 79	3 650
Town maintenance, East side	2 650 64	1 900
Town maintenance	13 677 96	12 000
(See credit for equipment rental)		

Education		
Libraries	325 00	250
Charities		
Town poor	350 38	350
County poor		50
Patriotic purposes	12 37	70
Public Service Enterprises		
Cemeteries	30 00	100
Miscellaneous		
Town Building Committee	159 00	
Municipal Finance Committee	170 71	
Total current maintenance expenses	35 961 49	35 770
Interest		
On temporary loans	156 72	450

OUTLAY FOR NEW CONSTRUCTION AND PROPERTY

Trunk Line, Town, Bituminous Macadam, (See page 34)		
Federal Aid No. 212D: North from foot of County Hill		
Town's contribution	9 074 49	10 820
State and Federal contributions	10 741 56	20 322
State Aid construction		
Cutting's Corner towards Etna		
Town's contribution	7 903 48	
State's contribution	1 573 50	
Ledyard Bridge	7 325 80	6 500
Paine Bridge Etna		
Town's contribution	869 40	
State's contribution	869 39	
Bridge Ruddsboro Road		
Near Frank Emerson's	529 00	
East Side		800
West Side		800

New Property and Improvements		
Equipment	43 35	
Storehouse	497 53	
Town Shed, east side	112 02	150
Stock Telephone Co.	30 00	
Snow Fence		200
Safe, Selectmen's Office		500
(Total outlay for new construction and property, 1926 $39,569.52)		
OTHER PAYMENTS		
Indebtedness		
Temporary Loans	37 500 00	
Payments to other governmental divisions		
State taxes	10 110 00	10 000
County taxes	8 783 08	9 000
Precinct	30 218 67	33 850
School District No. 1	43 813 44	
Town School District	8 062 10	
(Total to other governmental divisions $100,987.29)		
Miscellaneous		
Refunds and advances	848 26	
Layout Roads, Precinct	377 87	500
Forest Fires account		300
Liability: Precinct Schools		20 000
Town Schools		2 000
Finance Committee		300
Note		2 000
To meet emergencies		738
Total Payments	215 401 15	
Balance on hand, end of year	1 384 12	
Grand Total	216 785 27	
Total Payments, excluding schools	163 525 61	155 000

EFFECT OF PROPOSED BUDGETS ON TAX RATE

	Town	Precinct	School District No. 1	Town School District	Totals Less Duplications
EXPENDITURES					
Last Year (1926-27)					
Maintenance	36 118	30 287	38 551	14 060	119016
New Construction and Property	39 948	6 323		56	46 327
Liabilities		5 000	4 345		9 345
Other Governmental Bodies	100 987				18 893
Totals	177 053	41 610	42 896	14 116	193 581
Refunds, Advances and Temporary Loans, etc.	38 348	6 000			44 348
GRAND TOTAL	215 401	47 610	42 896	14 116	237 929
Tax on each $100 Valuation	1 18	0 49	1 23	1 29	
Town, Precinct, School District No. 1					2 90
Town, Town School District					2 47
BUDGET (Proposed)					
Next Year (1927-28)					
Maintenance	37 258	31 250	43 351	14 807	126 666
New Construction and Property	40 892				40 892
Liabilities		9 000	6 849		15 849
Other Governmental Bodies	110 250				18 893
TOTALS	188 400	40 250	50 200	14 807	202 300
TO BE RAISED BY PROPERTY TAXES					
Amount required by Budget plus 5% for overlay	53 550	21 260	46 400	11 760	132 970
VALUATION					
(estimated) 1927	4 450 000	3 800 000	3 800 000	650 000	
Tax on each $100 Valuation	1 20	56	1 22	1 80	
Town, Precinct, School District No. 1					2 98
Town, Town School District					3 00
ADDITIONAL EXPENDITURES					
For each $1,000 voted, the tax will be raised on each $100 of Property Valuation	0.024	0.028	0.028	0.16	
OUTSTANDING LIABILITIES AT END OF YEAR					
1925-26					
Notes (Including Town Indebtedness to Schools)	14 000	10 000			92 000
Bonds			68 000		
1926-27					
Notes (Including Town Indebtedness to Schools)	24 000	12 000			102 500
Bonds			66 500		
1927-28 (Estimated)					
Notes (Including Town Indebtedness to Schools)	24 000	3 000			89 000
Bonds			62 000		

PAYMENTS CLASSIFIED

Town	
Highways	61 392 75
Other expenses	6 806 17
Ledyard Bridge, part payment	7 325 80
Equipment	43 35
Storehouse (new) property	497 53
Indebtedness paid	37 500 00
Refunds and advances	848 26
State and County	18 893 08
Town Schools	8 062 10
Precinct Schools	43 813 44
Precinct	
Highways	14 472 99
Other expenses	15 745 68
	215 401 15

PAYMENTS RECONCILED WITH TREASURER'S REPORT

Total orders drawn on Treasurer	177 612 11
Expended by State Highway Department	9 196 84
Credits on State Tax Settlement	3 989 95
Equipment Rental Received	2 602 25
Liabilities to Schools	22 000 00
	215 401 15

CURRENT ASSETS

Cash		
In hands of town treasurer	1 384 12	
In hands of treasurer of town Library	4 52	
		1 388 64
Accounts due the town		
Due from State:		
State Aid Maintenance	26 91	
State Aid Construction	6 215 38	
Trunk Line Maintenance	87 39	
Trunk Line Maintenance, snow	92 50	
Federal Aid Construction	1 100 00	
Hedge Hog, (Bounties)	12 60	
Accounts due	195 69	
		7 730 47
Taxes not collected:		
1922	91 09	
1923	85 20	
1924	481 76	
1925	343 91	
1926	5 401 32	
		6 403 28
Other Assets		
Road machinery and tools		
Tractor, Best "30"	2 200 00	
Truck, International model S, No. 1	950 00	
Truck, International model S, No. 3	1 150 00	
Truck, Ford	100 00	
Road Machine, Stockland Special	350 00	
Road Machine, Western Grader, East Side	450 00	
Road Machine, one-half interest Trunk Line	50 00	

Road Machine, Poney	50 00	
Snow Plow, Sargent	700 00	
Snow Roller	125 00	
Conveyor, contractors portable	400 00	
Ring Roller, new	225 00	
Ring Roller, old	25 00	
Steam Roller, one-third interest	200 00	
Concrete Mixer, No. 4E Jaegar	175 00	
Water Sprinkler	100 00	
Thawer	100 00	
Harrow	125 00	
Gasoline Engine, pump and truck	75 00	
Derrick, 2000 lbs., Sasgen tripod	60 00	
Stone Drag	5 00	
Drag Scraper, Beach	5 00	
Two hones	20 00	
Gravel Spreaders, two	50 00	
Plows, three	100 00	
Highway Tools	250 00	
		8 040 00
Highway supplies	250 00	
Furniture, etc.	350 00	600 00
		24 162 39

CURRENT LIABILITIES

Balances for Special Purposes		
Finance Committee		829 29
Schools (Precinct)	20 000 00	
Schools (Town)	2 000 00	
		22 000 00
Note		2 000 00
Library (town) balance		4 52
Road Machine		465 00
Total current liabilities		25 298 81
Excess of current liabilities over current assets		1 136 42

SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

(Not including Trust Funds)

Library Building, Etna	3 000 00	
Store house property (new), Etna	7 000 00	
Store house property (old), Etna	350 00	
1 Share Tel. Stock	30 00	
		10 380 00

TAX DETERMINATION

1926

GENERAL		
State tax	10 110 00	
County tax	8 783 08	
Highway tax by law	5 000 00	
By vote of town:		
General	24 200 00	
Etna Fire Association	250 00	
Town Library, extra	75 00	
Finance Committee	1 000 00	
Overlay (to cover discounts, etc.)	2 308 90	
(1926 Town tax $1.18 per $100 valuation)		
Total town tax, 1926	———	51 726 98
Town school district, by vote of district	4 288 53	
Amount required by law	3 726 47	
Overlay (to cover discounts, etc.)	375 83	
(1926 Town school tax $1.29 per $100 valuation)		
Total Town School tax	———	8 390 83
School Dist. No. 1 by vote of district	30 500 00	
Amount required by law	13 066 16	
Overlay (to cover discounts, etc)	2 352 07	
(1926 Dist. No. 1 tax $1.23 per $100 valuation)		
School District No. 1 tax	———	45 918 23

Village precinct of Hanover by vote of precinct	17 395 00	
American Legion	50 00	
Overlay (to cover discounts, etc.) (1926 precinct tax $0.49 per $100 valuation)	847 63	
Total precinct tax	———	18 292 63
Total assessments on property		124 328 67

ASSESSMENT STATISTICS

	Dist. No. 1	Town Dist.
Land and buildings	3 459 152	555 388
361 horses over two years old	10 116	26 892
636 cows over two years old	5 886	35 500
323 neat stock over two years old	1 070	12 664
60 sheep over one year old		600
95 hogs over two per family		2 214
1245 fowls over $50 per family		1 252
28 vehicles over $100	3 370	
2 mills (portable)		1 800
1 boat	250	
Wood and lumber		3 826
Gas pumps and tanks	1 666	796
Stock in trade	244 956	9 420
Aqueducts, mills and machinery	6 724	100
	3 733 190	650 452
Grand total		4 383 642
Number of polls	1 095	377

Carl C. Ward,
Andrew B. Elder,
Charles A. Holden,

Selectmen of Hanover

EQUIPMENT MAINTENANCE ACCOUNT FOR EQUIPMENT PURCHASED IN 1924 AND 1925

	Maintenance, Oil, Gas, Insurance	Rental Received 1926	Balance Rental 1926 (2)—(1)	Balance Rental 1924 and 1925	Balance Rental 1924 and 1926 (3) + (4)	Cost	Total cost of equipment, maintenance, and operation from 1924 to Feb. 1 '27 (6)—(5)
Truck No. 1	906 38	1 158 03	251 65	1 668 49	1 920 14	1 866 31	–53 83
Trucks No.'s 2 & 3	725 22	351 55	–373 67	613 38	239 71	2 257 56	2 017 85
Tractor	1 462 87	795 26	–667 61	621 57	–46 04	4 341 05	4 387 09
Ford Truck	57 62		–57 62	–110 45	–168 07		168 07
Stockland Road Machine	53 81		–53 81	–95 34	–149 15	848 81	997 96
Conveyor	54 92	109 33	54 41	159 27	213 68	798 38	584 70
Concrete Mixer	36 00	133 56	97 56	124 88	222 44	322 54	100 10
Snow Plow	7 90	54 52	46 62	42 20	88 82	1 050 00	961 18
Truck Rental	60 00		–60 00	–165 00	–225 00		225 00
General	49 34		–49 34	–198 09	–247 43		247 43
Miscellaneous from Last Year's Report				14 51	14 51	418 56	404 05
Purchased 1925							
Thawer	11 86		–11 86	–7 00	–18 86	148 84	167 70
Harrow						131 81	131 81
Grader Plow						66 56	66 56
Rooter Plow						46 56	46 56
Totals	3 425 92	2 602 25	–823 67	2 668 42	1 844 75	12 296 98	10 452 23

No credit has been given equipment for general town work.

The trucks and tractor have been overhauled and placed in first class condition.

*Part of the gasoline and oil had to be carried in a general account. It has been distributed as well as possible.

DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

Current Maintenance Expense

Town Officers, Salaries and Expenses	
Charles A. Holden, selectman and expenses	521 26
C. C. Ward, selectman and expenses	506 50
A. B. Elder, selectman and expenses	197 67
G. M. Bridgman, town clerk	215 00
G. M. Bridgman, issuing automobile permits	244 75
A. W. Guyer, treasurer and expenses	110 00
H. C. Edgerton, auditor and services	10 00
John B. Howard, auditor	5 00
S. W. Smith, tax collector	200 00
Mrs. Adah J. Smith, collector	400 00
Mrs. Adah J. Smith, expenses and postage	28 67
L. S. Merrill, tax collector	325 00
L. S. Merrill, expenses	17 75
F. F. Davison, rent of office	240 00
Barwood Press, printing	23 75
Dartmouth Press (Town Reports)	252 90
Dartmouth Press (other printing)	86 86
A. D. Storrs, supplies	57 75
A. D. Storrs, other supplies	2 82
W. J. Randolph, record of transfers	8 74
Gile and Brackett, surety bonds	52 00
Stamps	31 86
Association N. H. Assessors	2 00

Dale Nelson, Militia enrolment	20 00	
Grafton Star Grange, hall	6 00	
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co.	67 05	
Etna & Hanover Ctr. Tel. Co.	31 70	
Licenses	7 50	
E. C. Eastman & Co., supplies	11 45	
Ward, Baird & Laughton, supplies	9 73	
Clerical work	42 00	
Extra police duty	71 45	
Automobile Service Bureau	11 61	
		3 818 77
Election and Registration Expenses		
W. H. Murray, supervisor	88 00	
J. P. Hutchinson, labor	10 00	
Grafton Star Grange, hall	16 00	
A. P. Richmond, ballot clerk	6 00	
F. V. Tuxbury, ballot clerk	6 00	
L. G. Porter, ballot clerk	3 00	
Roy Brackett, ballot clerk	3 00	
Dartmouth Press, check lists	42 00	
		174 00
Municipal Court Expenses		
H. E. Burton, police judge		300 00
Legal Expenses		
P. H. Faulkner		10 00
Protection of Persons and Property		
J. W. Ferson, warden	49 98	
Etna Fire Association	250 00	
State Forestry Department		
White Pine Blister Rust Exter.	497 87	
Bounties on 63 hedgehogs	12 60	
H. S. Perley, services as officer		
Humane Society	50 00	
		860 45

Expenses, Dogs Account		
G. S. Adams, constable	19 00	
A. E. Fogg, constable	12 00	
C. S. Roy, constable	22 00	
F. G. Manchester, damage to sheep	210 00	
A. E. Fogg, damage to sheep	8 00	
		271 00
Health		
W. G. Spencer		22 00
Vital Statistics		
G. W. Weymouth	1 75	
F. S. Bogardus	1 00	
Estate of E. E. Dean	1 00	
		3 75
Highways and Bridges—State Aid Maintenance		
L. G. Hayes, patrolman		
Expended by Town	3 782 83	
Expended by State Department	3 078 26	
		6 861 09
Highways and Bridges—Trunk Line Maintenance		
L. G. Hayes, patrolman		
Expended by Town		
General	3 438 81	
Snow	410 49	
Expended by State Department	2 415 07	
		6 264 37
Highway and Bridges, Town Maintenance—East Side Roads		
C. R. Morfitt, Road Agent.		
General expenditures	2 100 35	
Dynamite	117 20	
Snow bills	430 09	
R. S. Cross, water tub	3 00	
		2 650 64

Highways and Bridges—Town Maintenance, West Side Roads		
L. S. Merrill, Road Agent		
General Expenditures	7 425 55	
Employer's liability insurance	287 99	
Insurance Storehouse	140 70	
Dynamite	86 00	
Bridge Plank	367 21	
Metal Culverts	129 95	
Supplies (coal)	103 57	
Ledyard Bridge		
Oiling floor and repairs	42 44	
Insurance	225 00	
Snow bills	1 443 63	
		10 252 04
Highway and Bridges—Equipment		
Repairs, gas and oil		3 425 92
(See rentals credit)		
Libraries		325 00
Town Poor		
On account of C. Jackson	287 10	
On account of George Ashey	55 00	
On account of James Conroy	6 63	
On account of George Teeney	1 65	
		350 38
Patriotic Purposes		
American Legion, flags		12 37
Public Service Enterprise		
Cemeteries		30 00
Town building Committee		
Larson & Wells	150 00	
White Studio	9 00	
		159 00

Municipal Finance Committee		170 71
Interest		
On Current notes		156 72

NEW CONSTRUCTION AND PROPERTY

Trunk Line, Federal Aid 212-D		
Expended by Town	18 574 49	
Expended by State	1 241 56	
		19 816 05
State Aid Construction		
Cutting's Corner to Paine's House, Etna		
Expended by Town	9 447 98	
Expended by State	29 00	
		9 476 98
Paine Bridge Etna		
Expended by Town	1 585 57	
Expended by State	153 22	
		1 738 79
Ledyard Bridge		
Construction of Arches, Sidewalk and Abutments; Strengthening floor and other improvements		7 325 80
Bridge near F. G. Emerson's		529 00
Equipment		43 35
Storehouse, Etna		
Fixtures and cement floor		497 53
Storehouse, East side		112 02
Etna-Hanover Ctr. Tel. Co.		
1 Share stock		30 00

Other Payments

Indebtedness		
Notes, current year		23 500 00
Liabilities to Schools 1925		14 000 00
Taxes Paid to State		
Regular state tax		10 110 00
Taxes Paid to County		
Regular county tax		8 783 08
Village Precinct of Hanover Account		
Precinct tax, by vote of Precinct	17 445 00	
Highway tax, by law and extra tax 83%+ of ($5000 + special vote $3000)	6 650 00	
Highway tax, trunk line maintenance	1 600 00	
Trunk line maintenance, expended by Precinct and refunded by State	288 46	
Trunk line maintenance, expended directly by State	1 298 48	
Highway tax, State Aid Maintenance	1 475 00	
State Aid Maintenance, expended by Precinct and refunded by State	480 48	
State Aid Maintenance, Expended directly by State	981 25	
		30 218 67
Payments to School District No. 1		
School tax required by law	13 066 16	
Extra tax by vote of district	30 500 00	
Dog licenses 84 per cent	247 28	
		43 813 44

(Total includes $20,000 carried forward as liability)

Payments to Town School District		
School tax required by law	3 726 47	
Extra tax vote of district	4 288 53	
Dog licenses 16 per cent	47 10	
		8 062 10
(Total includes $2,000 carried forward as liability)		
Miscellaneous		
Precinct Roads (new)		377 87
Refunds and Advances		848 26
Total Payments		215 401 15

TAX COLLECTORS' ACCOUNTS

1926

Samuel W. Smith

Debits

	1922	1923	1924	1925	1926	Totals
Tax Bill	7.44	24.66	163.32	926.72	110,978.74	112,100.88
Addition					67.79	67.79
Interest		.39		25.36		25.75
Totals	7.44	25.05	163.32	952.08	111,046.53	112,194.42

Credits

Collected		2.34	3.81	782.89	85,473.99	86,263.03
Discounts					4,383.36	4,383.36
Abated					50.81	50.81
Uncollected	7.44	22.71	159.51	169.19	21,138.37	21,497.22
Totals	7.44	25.05	163.32	952.08	111,046.53	112,194.42

Mrs. Adah J. Smith

Debits

	1922	1923	1924	1925	1926	Totals
Tax Bill	7.44	22.71	159.51	169.19	21,138.37	21,497.22
Addition					103.75	103.75
Interest				6.48	35.42	41.90
Totals	7.44	22.71	159.51	175.67	21,277.54	21,642.87

Credits

Collected			55.00	88.78	18,214.88	18,358.66
Discounts					186.33	186.33
Abated	7.44	14.83	67.03	80.89	65.66	235.85
Uncollected		7.88	37.48	6.00	2,810.67	2,862.03
Totals	7.44	22.71	159.51	175.67	21,277.54	21,642.87

LELAND S. MERRILL

Debits

	1922	1923	1924	1925	1926	Totals
Tax Bill	101.09	134.34	628.54	1,853.26	16,820.39	19,537.62
Addition						
Interest			6.71	34.75	6.27	47.73
Totals	101.09	134.34	635.25	1,888.01	16,826.66	19,585.35

Credits

Collected	10.00	57.02	190.97	1,550.10	13,739.97	15,548.06
Discounts					447.24	447.24
Abated					48.80	48.80
Uncollected	91.09	77.32	444.28	337.91	2,590.65	3,541.25
Totals	101.09	134.34	635.25	1,888.01	16,826.66	19,585.35

AUTOMOBILE ACCOUNT

1926-7

902 permits issued for year 1926		5 985 52
288 permits included in report for last year		2 211 85
614 permits paid this year for 1926		3 773 67
324 permits paid this year for 1927		2 523 83
938 permits issued for year 1926-7		6 297 50
Paid A. W. Guyer, treasurer	6 297 50	

DOG ACCOUNT

1926-7

266 dogs licensed		630 33
Fees	53 20	
Tags	11 75	
Paid A. W. Guyer, treasurer	566 38	
		630 33

George M. Bridgman,
Town Clerk

Division of Dog License Receipts

Receipts from licenses less fees	565 38
Paid expenses, account of dogs	271 00
Net receipts from dog licenses	294 38

Divided

84% to Precinct Schools	247 28
16% to Town Schools	47 10
	294 38

TOWN TREASURER'S REPORT

January 31, 1927

Debits

Balance on hand at beginning of year		3 127 39
Received from		
S. W. Smith, Tax Collector	86 263 03	
Mrs. Adah Smith, Tax Collector	18 358 66	
L. S. Merrill, Tax Collector	15 548 06	
Town Clerk	6 871 88	
Selectmen	2 739 17	
State Highway Department	12 697 27	
State (Int. and Div.)	4 882 27	
Dartmouth College	3 000 00	
Trustees of Trust Funds	8 50	
Borrowed from Dart. Nat. Bank	25 500 00	
		175 868 84
		178 996 23

Credits

Amount paid out as per Selectmen's orders	177 612 11	
Balance on hand at end of year	1 384 12	
		178 996 23

A. W. Guyer,

Town Treasurer

REPORT OF TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS FOR THE TOWN OF HANOVER

Debits

Balance last year—Liberty Bonds	6 000 00	
Balance last year—Cash	4 211 36	
Interest on Liberty Bonds	255 00	
Interest on Savings Bank account	198 40	
Rent of School Lands	14 02	
a/c Albert Pinneo Estate for Hanover Center Cemetery	2 447 67	
		13 126 45

Credits

School district, No. 1, proportion of income on school funds 75 per cent	136 42	
Town school district, proportion of income on school funds, 25 per cent	45 47	
F. V. Tuxbury, care of cemetery lots	23 50	
J. T. McCarthy, care of cemetery lots	13 40	
J. A. Hummiston and others, care of Hanover Ctr. Cemetery and lots	275 68	
A. W. Guyer, Treasurer, a/c town poor	8 50	
Robert Fletcher, Treasurer Town Library	25 50	
Balance Jan. 31, 1927, U. S. Liberty Bonds	6 000 00	
Cash in Dartmouth Savings Bank	6 597 98	
		13 126 45

REPORT OF TRUST FUNDS

	Principal	Bal. of Income Last Year	Income for Year	Income Expended	Bal. of Income Forwarded
For the Support of Schools:					
School	1 422 58		75 64	75 64	
Freeman	2 000 00		85 00	85 00	
Wm. Tenney	500 00		21 25	21 25	
For the Support of the Poor:					
John Williams	200 00		8 50	8 50	
For the Care of Cemetery Lots:					
A. Tenney	50 00	13 16	2 13	10 22	5 07
F. S. Spencer	100 00	29 32	4 25	27 55	6 02
D. T. Ross	100 00	2 80	4 25	4 50	2 55
D. M. Ross	100 00	2 80	4 25	4 50	2 55
John R. Runnals	50 00	14 66	2 12	13 33	3 45
L. S. Barnes	200 00	7 96	8 50	13 40	3 06
W. B. Weeks	200 00	55 87	8 50	3 00	61 37
Bridgman & Simmons	100 00	1 48	4 25	4 50	1 23
G. W. Morey	50 00	2 47	2 13	4 00	60
Albert Pinneo	200 00	25 38	8 50	8 00	25 88
H. C. Brown	100 00		4 25	3 00	1 25
Albert Pinneo	6 447 08	83 47	198 40	216 58	65 29
For the Town Library:					
Town	500 00		21 25	21 25	
D. T. Ross	100 00		4 25	4 25	
	12 419 66	239 37	467 42	528 47	178 32

H. C. Edgerton,
Treasurer Trustees of Trust Funds

MUNICIPAL COURT OF HANOVER

Financial Statement for year ending January 31, 1927

Receipts

Fines collected:		
14 motor vehicle cases	170 00	
3 liquor cases prosecuted by County Solicitor	700 00	
24 other cases	550 00	
		1 420 00
"Costs" collected:		
59 cases	575 13	
Less town costs deducted below	71 20	
		503 93
		1 923 93

Payments

Paid Commissioner of Motor Vehicles:		
Fines	170 00	
Costs	20 00	
		190 00
Paid County Treasurer, fines		700 00
Town of Hanover, fines	550 00	
Less expenses and town "costs"	89 42	
		460 58
Costs of Court, officers, etc.		555 13
For legal blanks		18 22
		1 923 93

H. E. Burton,
Justice

HANOVER TOWN LIBRARY

Report of the Treasurer

Debit

Balance, February 12, 1926		46 05
Selectmen's orders		325 00
From Treasurer, books mischarged		3 50
From Trustee of Town Funds		25 50
		400 05

Credit

Salary of librarian, Mrs. N. J. Praddex		104 00
Books bought	85 77	
Subscriptions to periodicals	5 00	
Dartmouth Press binding	5 24	
		96 01
Maintenance of Building:		
Care taking	35 90	
Labor	4 80	
Wood	31 00	
		71 70
Heating plant: Paid temporary		
Loan, last year's account	102 98	
T. E. Ward, box stove, etc.	11 03	
Ward, Baird & Laughton, oil cloth	4 50	
		118 51
Trustees: Meetings and expense:		
Auto hire	4 00	
Supplies	1 31	
		5 31
		395 53
Balance, February 12, 1927		4 52
		400 05

Bills Outstanding:		
Dartmouth Press, binding	10 95	
Dartmouth Bookstore, books	10 00	
Estimate for next fiscal year:		
Outstanding bills	20 95	
For new books	120 00	
For binding and subscriptions	20 00	
Librarian's Salary	104 00	
Care of building, 37, fuel 40	77 00	
Insurance, due this year	53 20	
Trustees: meetings, supplies, repairs (roof, etc.)	25 00	
		$420 15

Respectfully submitted,

ROBERT FLETCHER,

February 15, 1927 *Treasurer*

TRUSTEES' REPORT ON TOWN LIBRARY

The Trustees feel called upon again to raise the question,—how much interest are our fellow townsmen taking in their library?—Let no one forget that the allowance receivable from State funds was fixed, about two years ago, at $184., and the income from funds in charge of the town trustee is shown in this year's report as $25.50, total $209.50. If that were all we might as well close the building,—for a glance at our report shows that the running expenses (omitting payment of last year's note) was about $195.00. At last town meeting the meager $209.50 was supplemented by an extra voted sum of $75.00, giving us a total of $325., plus interest from trust funds.

The estimate for the ensuing year, submitted herewith, includes insurance, bills now due and running expenses,—leaving only $140. for new books, periodicals and rebinding. Surely this is a very small sum to meet the demands,—throughout an entire year,—which are constantly made for the best of the new publications.—We have been obliged to deny ourselves the purchase of some which would have been valuable additions to the library.

It may be said that there is abundance of literature of the highest class in the library, and that some of it is too much neglected. Be that as it may, the trustees are not responsible for the preferences of the readers, and we respectfully submit that an allowance of $200. over and above funds allowed by law and the investments, is a modest request made in the interest of all concerned.

Respectfully submitted,

Robert Fletcher,
Mrs. E. F. Emerson,
Adna L. Camp,

February 12, 1927 *Trustees*

LIBRARIAN

Whole number volumes added, 125; by purchase, 65.
50 volumes given by Mr. Reed of Lebanon.
8 volumes by Mrs. Frank Gould, Hanover.
5 volumes given by the late Asa W. Fellows.
3 volumes by Mrs. Helen B. Bridgman, Brooklyn, N. Y.
1 volume by Louis G. Jenks, San Diego, California.
4 volumes bought with fines.
1 Geographical Magazine bound 1926.
1,259 books loaned the past year.

The usual number of pamphlets that always collect in a Library.

Respectfully,

MRS. NETTIE J. PRADDEX.

Etna, N. H., February 9, 1927. *Librarian*

MARY HITCHCOCK MEMORIAL HOSPITAL

During the year beginning February 1, 1926 and ending January 31, 1927, the two free beds in the Mary Hitchcock Memorial Hospital for the use of residents of Hanover have been occupied five hundred and thirty-one days, twenty-three persons having been given the use of the same.

IDA F. SHEPARD,
Recorder

AUDITORS' REPORT

We have examined the foregoing accounts of the selectmen, town treasurer, collectors of taxes, town clerk, judge of the municipal court, and the treasurer of the town library, and find them correct and all disbursements supported by proper vouchers.

The amounts of the trustees of trust funds having been kept by one of the auditors have been examined by John B. Howard and found correct and the assets in the hands of the treasurer of the trustees as stated.

H. C. EDGERTON,
JOHN B. HOWARD,
Auditors

ETNA FIRE ASSOCIATION

Report of Treasurer

Receipts

Balance on hand beginning of year	189 25
Subscriptions	17 63
Selectmen by vote of town	250 00
Supper	14 00
Tel. Co., rent of building	25 00
	495 88

Payments

Grafton Co., Light Co.	13 00
Wood and coal	56 76
Note at Bank	250 00
Equipment and repairs	101 37
	421 13
Cash on hand February 1, 1927	74 75

The association has responded to seven fire calls during the past year.

We are very grateful for the receipt of a chemical from the Hanover department the condition of which being such as to require hose and repairs to the amount of $50.

We are pleased to report that besides paying the note at bank we have been able to purchase 100 ft. hose, 6 coats and hats and make some minor repairs on equipment.

It is the desire of the association as soon as possible to motorize the equipment.

F. V. Tuxbury,
Secretary and Treasurer

FOREST FIRE WARDEN

1926

During the year 1926 fifteen permits for burning were issued. Another year has passed and we had no forest fires for which every one is thankful. We hope the habit of procuring a permit to burn will increase. Every one so doing and complying with the law saves himself costs by taxation. Every forest fire in the state we all help pay for. It's up to you to be careful. Your attention is called to the following:

SECT. 12. . . . . No person shall kindle a fire upon the land of another without permission first hand from the owner thereof or from the owner's agent.

SECT. 13. No person shall kindle a fire or burn brush in or near woodland, except when the ground is covered with snow, without the written permission of the forest fire warden, or the presence of the forest fire warden or person appointed to represent him.

J. WALTER FERSON,
Warden

REPORT OF SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON TOWN FOREST

The committee on town forest, appointed by the Selectmen in accordance with the vote at the last annual town meeting, have corresponded with the state authorities interested in forestry and with Philip W. Ayres, Forester of the Society for the Protection of New Hampshire Forests.

The general plan of having town forests in order to secure for the future adequate timber supply is sound. Two considerations however make it seem at present not feasible to recommend an appropriation for this purpose. First, the demands upon the financial resources of the community are already large and likely to become larger. Second, already some provision for tree planting has been made by the Pine Park in the village and by the Water Company near the reservoir. The objection as to financial burden should disappear in time; and moreover the ultimate result of a town forest should be of financial advantage to the town. The Pine Park and Reservoir reservations are largely for beauty and watershed protection and not likely to yield any large timber production.

There remains therefore the desirability of providing at some time and in some way for a town forest for timber production for the future.

Your committee therefore makes these suggestions:

First, we recommend that the Selectmen take any opportunity to make it known that they in behalf of the town would welcome gifts to the town of land for timber production. The expense for planting land with young trees is slight, through arrangements which can be made with the state forestry agencies, and the expense would be far more than met in the future by the value of the timber.

Second, we recommend that the selectmen and any others interested take opportunity as it presents itself for bringing

to the attention of owners of land the desirability of planning along long lines for the future in matter of need of timber, and thus gradually helping to develop in the town the planting and growing of timber on private lands for the ultimate benefit of the community and the Commonwealth.

Your committee desires to promote the first suggestion by proposing the following motion to the town:

Voted, upon the suggestion of the Committee on Town Forest, that the Selectmen be requested to take any feasible measures to bring to the attention of land owners the desirability of gifts of land to the town for a town forest.

Respectfully submitted,
ANDREW B. ELDER,
ALFRED W. GUYER,
HERBERT D. FOSTER, *Chairman,*

Committee on Town Forest

RESOLUTIONS IN REGARD TO THE DEATH OF DR. TUCKER

Pursuant to a vote taken at a recent town meeting regarding the death of Dr. William Jewett Tucker, the Selectmen of the Town of Hanover, as a committee appointed by the Moderator, present the following resolutions:

Whereas it has pleased Almighty God, in his Infinite Wisdom, to take from among us William Jewett Tucker, and whereas we his fellow townsmen wish to express our deep sorrow at this our great loss, be it therefore Resolved that by his death the Town of Hanover has lost a prominent and greatly respected citizen: one who has always had a keen interest in the welfare of the Town and who by his thought and influence aided much in the development of our beautiful village as well as Dartmouth College, and be it further Resolved that the voters of the Town, through their Selectmen, express to Mrs. Tucker their sympathy and indicate to her that they too appreciate both him and his worth and be it further Resolved that a copy of these resolutions be entered upon the permanent record of the Town and that a like copy be forwarded to Mrs. Tucker.

Carl C. Ward,
Charles A. Holden,
Andrew B. Elder,
Selectmen of Hanover

VITAL STATISTICS

To the Selectmen:

In compliance with an act of the legislature passed June session, 1887, requiring clerks of towns and cities to furnish a transcript of the record of births, marriages and deaths, to the municipal officers for publication in the annual town report, I hereby submit the following.

Respectfully,

George M. Bridgman, *Town Clerk*

EXPLANATION REGARDING STATISTICS

The following statistics include the birth and deaths occurring in the Mary Hitchcock Memorial Hospital during the year 1926. One hundred and seventeen were children born there of mothers from other towns, and seventy-five persons from other towns died there. Taking these from the numbers given in the tables, the record for Hanover would be forty-five births and thirty-eight deaths.

Births Registered in the Town of Hanover for the Year Ending December 31, 1926

Date of Birth 1926	Place of Birth	Name of the Child (if any)	Sex	Liv. or Still	No. Children	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Residence of Parents	Occupation of Father	Birthplace of Father	Father's Age	Birthplace of Mother	Mother's Aeg
Jan. 1	Hanover	Thomas W., Jr.	M	L	2	Thomas W. Hill	Lillian Baldwin	Wilder, Vt.	Fac. Worker	Canaan	21	Kingman, Me.	19
2	Hanover	Natalie M.	F	L	2	C. F. Doubleday	Dorothy Ila Gibben	Wilder, Vt.	Store Manager	Norwich, Vt.	24	Waterbury, Vt.	23
3	Hanover	Marjorie E.	F	L	1	Edw. E. Farnham	Mildred M. Gaset	Enfield	Weaver	Belgrade, Me.	52	Bolton, Canada	36
4	Hanover	Julia J.	F	L	2	Harold Owen	Louise Guyol	Norwich, Vt.	Architect	Portsmouth	26	Concord	24
11	Hanover	Paul F.	M	L	8	Ed. Greenwood	Della Sanborn	Hanover	Chef	Wells River, Vt.	43	Bradford	39
14	Hanover	Cleveland	M	S	1	Charles Cleveland	Emma Preston	Pomfret, Vt.	Farmer	Bridgewater, Vt.	56	Bridgewater, Vt.	36
13	Hanover	Frederick D.	M	L	2	James P. Gillen	Jennie McElaney	Hanover	Herdsman	Canada	37	Canada	25
17	Hanover	Conrad F.	M	L	1	Forest L. Adams	Edith R. Seaver	W. R. Jct., Vt.	Radio Shop	Morrisville, Vt.	22	Woodstock, Vt.	21
17	Hanover	William D.	M	L	4	Edward M. Allen	Marion Sheldon	Hanover	Druggist	Canada	49	Wakefield, Mass.	36
19	Hanover	Richard B., Jr.	M	L	1	Richard B. Rand	Chris. E. Emerson	Hanover	Store Clerk	Hanover	26	Keene	27
19	Hanover	Grace A.	F	L	4	Perley A. Wood	Lillian A. Tillotson	Hanover Ctr.	Farmer	Concord, Vt.	34	Lisbon	34
29	Hanover	Edith M.	F	L	1	W'lt'r F. Williams	Edith J. Richardson	Enfield	Weaver	Stevenstown, N. Y.	22	Canaan	23
30	Hanover	Charlotte M.	F	L	2	Julius W. Beede	D. D. DesFosses	Canaan	Farmer	Manchester	22	Manchester	24
Feb. 7	Hanover	Allen	F	L	12	Roy W. Allen	Caroline Shattuck	Strafford, Vt.	Farmer	Barnard, Vt.	46	Brookline, N. H.	42
8	Hanover	Nancy L.	F	L	1	Winthrop P. Cody	Virginia Thomas	W. R. Jct., Vt.	As. Supt. mill	Allston, Mass.	25	Mt. Summit, Ind.	25
11	Hanover	Edwin W.	M	L	1	Israel W. Paslee	Ruth V. Noyes	W. R. Jct., Vt.	Laborer	Enfield	45	Norwich, Vt.	28
12	Hanover	Geraldine E.	F	L	2	Ernest A. LeMay	Gwen. E. Truman	Hanover	Salesman	Lebanon	24	Copperfield, Vt.	22
14	Hanover	Virginia G.	F	L	1	H. E. Farnsworth	Lucy C. Bomhower	W. Lebanon	Railroad		22	Hartford, Vt.	22
21	Hanover	Lawrence C.	M	L	2	C. E. McKenney	Mary A. Bonhomme	W. R. Jct., Vt.	Brakeman	Phillipsburg, P. Q.	40	Watton, P. Q.	29
23	Hanover	Earl E.	M	L	1	Elvan D. Westover	Gertrude M. Smith	Beebe River	Foreman	Waterville, Vt.	28	Grantham	20
27	Hanover	William J., Jr.	M	L	2	W. J. Bomhower	Ella Plamondon	Lebanon	Painter	Wilder, Vt.	46	Lebanon	36
27	Hanover	Catherine	F	L	2	Angus Shaw	Donalda Cashill	Lebanon	Farmer	Briton, Canada	37	Briton, Can.	39
Mar. 4	Hanover	Hazel M.	F	L	2	Harold A. Fellows	Edith Hanchett	Hanover	Plumber	Hanover	23	Hanover	19
4	Hanover	AlbertW.	M	L	6	Wes. H. Lewellyn	Hattie Bryant	Hanover	Gardener	Prince Edward Is.	41	Bangor, Me.	36
5	Hanover	Lena M	F	L	2	Edwin C. Bacon	Bertha McAllister	Hanover	Blacksmith	Thetford, Vt.	40	Canaan	27
15	Hanover	Russell R.	M	L	1	Raymond Gray	Eloise Rogers	Lebanon	Mill operator	Lebanon	18	Royalton, Vt.	20
18	Hanover	Marjorie E.	F	L	5	P. L. Woodward	Myole A. Mattoon	Hanover	Weaver	Woodstock, Vt.	39	W. Fairlee, Vt.	26
20	Hanover	Marjorie B.	F	L	2	Lloyd P. Rice	Gertrude B. Judd	Hanover	Professor	Granby, Conn.	37	Bethlehem, Conn.	36
20	Hanover	Joseph P.	M	L	2	Jos. P. Thibodeau	Frances F. Wooden	Wilder, Vt.	Brick layer	Wilder, Vt.	23	Manchester	17
23	Hanover	John W.	M	L	1	Lucien D. Pearson	Dorothy Harrison	Hanover	Professor	Hartford, Conn.	33	Adrian, Mich.	31
23	Hanover	Rita E.	F	L	1	Leon A. Stone	Jennie A. Connelly	W. R. Jct., Vt.	As. Fore. Fac.	Hartford, Vt.	23	Lowell, Mass.	22
26	Hanover	Blanche E.	F	L	1	Alfred D. Neily	Pearl N. Colburn	Canaan	Carpenter	Concord, Mass.	37	Canaan	30
2	Hanover	Mildred E.	F	L	2	Ludwig Kuhre	Julianna Bendtsen	Hanover	Farmer	Denmark	40	Denmark	31
31	Hanover	Madine G.	F	L	1	Herman W. Stone	Aileen Bates	Hanover	Truck driver	Hanover	29	Lebanon	26
31	Hanover	Norman E.	M	L	8	Vincent Borry	Etta E. Abare	Norwich, Vt.	Laborer	Canada	38	E. M'ntp'l'r, Vt.	34
31	Hanover	Anna E.	F	L	2	Ralph P. Watson	Mary E. Fox	Hanover	Baker	Randolph	41	Waterville, Me.	36
Apr. 3	Hanover	David A.	M	L	2	Eugene S. Rogers	Cora M. Adams	Center Harbor	Teamster	Hartland, Vt.	37	Chelsea, Vt.	24
3	Hanover	JohnW.	M	L	3	John Brockway	Mary E. Flynn	W. R. Jct., Vt.	Farmer	W. Hartford, Vt.	43	East Dorset, Vt.	37
14	Hanover	Olive E.	F	L	4	Guy A. Whitcomb	Mabel Mincoster	Hanover	Truck driver	So. Strafford, Vt.	29	Montreal, Can.	27

	15	Hanover	Ronald G.	M	L	1	George Whitney	Vivian E. Chandler	Plainfield	Farmer	Salem	23	Walpole	24
	19	Hanover	Donald F.	M	L	2	Frederick S. Page	Marion L. Leavitt	Hanover	Col. Professor	Candia	36	Randolph, Mass.	27
	19	Hanover	Madine M.	F	L	2	Louis Rousseau	Yvonne Boucher	Lebanon	Weaver	Canada	30	Canada	27
	20	Hanover	Joseph E.	M	L	1	William L. Stone	Margaret Merrill	Hanover	Painter	Hanover	21	Norwich, Vt.	23
	22	Hanover	Keane	F	L	1	Tho. F. Keane Jr.	Ethel M. Fecteau	Hanover	Golf Inst.	Arlington, Mass.	25	Windsor, Vt.	22
	26	Hanover	Priscilla J.	F	L	5	Breton Clark	Alice Barron	Thetford, Vt.	Farmer	Vt.	39	Mass.	35
	28	Hanover	Jean F.	F	L	1	George W. Currier	Eloise B. Beamon	Lebanon	School Teacher	Albany, N. Y.	33	D'rchester, Mass.	26
	30	Hanover	Phillip R.	M	L	6	Harry N. Allen	Lillian Campbell	Hanover	Farmer	Vt.	41	Vt.	38
May	3	Hanover	Helen L.	F	L	1	William V. Bayley	Hilda Kennedy	Boston, Mass.	Tel. Foreman	Dedham, Mass.	29	Nova Scotia	27
	3	Hanover	Richard E.	M	L	2	Al. O. Painchaud	Helen F. Lynch	Lebanon	Merchant	Lebanon	38	Boston, Mass.	31
	6	Hanover	Ennice C	F	L	3	James Traganza	Ida Swett	Canaan	Minister	Wisconsin	40	N. H.	39
	16	Hanover	Charlotte R.	F	L	3	Walter B. Garvin	Bertha Pressey	Hanover	Painter	Richford, Vt.	31	Canaan	28
	17	Hanover	Ralph	M	L	2	Walter Dennis	Thresa Rugg	Orford	Farmer				34
	21	Hanover	Peter S.	M	L	3	Stephen K. Perry	Alice W. Cone	Hartford, Vt.	Manufacturer	Worcester, Mass.	34	Hartford, Vt.	33
	22	Hanover	Boynton	M	L	1	Ernest C. Hill	Eva E. Hopkins	Boston, Mass.	Newspap'r man	Cambridge, Mass	31	Corinth, Vt.	23
	23	Hanover	Smith	M	L	1	George Smith	Bertha Smith	Piermont	Farmer			Vermont	34
	28	Hanover	Guy	M	L	1	Herbert W. Slater	Laura C. Provost	Lebanon	Works in Rest.	Cheslea, Mass.	29	Lebanon	23
June	3	Hanover	Joseph A.	M	L	6	Ernest Lozeau	Antoinette Laporte	Hanover	Farmer	Pro. of Quebec	31	Pro. of Quebec	26
	5	Hanover	Harold E.	M	L	1	Harold H. White	Ber. M. Dickerman	Topsham, Vt.	Pos. in Bank	Topsham, Vt.	26	Topsham, Vt.	20
	6	Hanover	Sylvia J.	F	L	2	Paul Ahern	Hazel Colby	W. R. Jct., Vt.	Clerk in store	Boston, Mass.	23	Newport	24
	10	Hanover	Arlene P.	F	L	3	Howard E. Gilson	Bessie Kendall	West Lebanon	Rail. Clerk	Cavendish, Vt.	31	E. Lempster	26
	14	Hanover	Jean L.	F	L	1	Thomas J. Dent	Ellen M. Carter	Hanover	Teacher	Stirling, Scotland	31	Hanover	28
	19	Hanover	George A	M	L	1	Peter Stulbert	Bertha Devoe	Canaan	Chopper	Canada	33	Nova Scotia	20
	19	Hanover	George R.	M	L	4	Ray B. Rich	Luvie Fowler	Hanover	Merchant	Lyme	33	Newport	30
	20	Hanover	John R.	M	L	2	Angelo De Palma	Florence Cantlein	Beverly, Mass.	Switchman	Everett, Mass.	26	Lebanon	27
	21	Hanover	Lester C., Jr.	M	L	3	Lester C. Horton	Charlotte Jones	Hanover	Carpenter	Enfield	28	Hanover	25
	24	Hanover	Roger L.	M	L	2	Bert L. Gilman	Florence Clark	Lyme Ctr.	Farmer	Fairlee, Vt.	27	Bradford, Vt.	23
	24	Hanover	Barbara R.	F	L	1	Allen Hill	Isabelle Peck	Lebanon	Mason	Springfield, Vt.	29	Brownsville, Vt.	21
	28	Hanover	Thomas N	M	L	2	A. P. Richmond Jr.	Constance F. Noyes	Hanover	Professor	Dover	34	Portsmouth	30
	29	Hanover	Olney O.	M	S	3	Harley Shephard	Cora Powers	N. Pomfret, Vt.	Farmer	Pittsfield, Vt.	44	Pittsfield, Vt.	34
	30	Hanover	Laura	F	L	1	Walter French	Alice Greenwood	Fairlee, Vt.	Clerk	Orford	22	Tunbridge, Vt.	18
July	2	Hanover	Gilbert L.	M	L	1	Lewis McNeil	Marie Guerin	Lebanon	Signal man	New York City	32	Lowell, Mass.	21
	5	Hanover	Pauline B.	F	L	3	James P. Slack	Gertrude Braley	Hanover	Laborer	Boston, Mass.	25	Antrim	22
	6	Hanover	Ruth	F	L	4	Gilbert H. Tapley	Mabel S. Lyman	Hanover	Professor	Danvers, Mass	32	Denver, Col.	29
	8	Hanover	Irene A.	F	L	4	Clyde F. Joslyn	Jessie A. Silver	Sharon, Vt.	Farmer	Omaha, Neb.	36	Northfield, Vt.	39
	11	Hanover	Ruth P.	F	L	1	Frank X. Guay	Irene E. Laffee	Lebanon	Stock clerk	Lebanon	34	Enfield	36
	12	Hanover	Smith		S		Ernest Smith	Lillie Jennings		Farmer	Conn.		Conn	
	12	Hanover	Graves	F	S	3	Stillman Graves	Marion L. Robbins	Enfield					
	12	Hanover	Muriel E.	F	L	3	Harry Manson	L. E. Coutermarch	Lebanon	Trucking	York, Me.	32	N. Hartland, Vt.	32
	17	Hanover	William L.	M	L	1	J. D. McCallum	Margaret M. Beck	Hanover	Professor	Brooklyn, N. Y.	33	New York, N. Y.	28
	19	Hanover	Audrey	F	L	2	Thurston D. Frost	Mary I. Lattimore	Watertown, Ct.	Teacher	Hanover	22	Soo Chow, China	24
	19	Hanover	Coyle	F	L	2	Wilder R. Coyle	Marjorie L. Wells	Cabot, Vt.	Saleman	Danville, Can.	34	Cabot, Vt.	34
	20	Hanover	Margaret E.	F	L	1	Horace W. Austey	Justina Connors	Lebanon	Painter	Newfoundland	21	Canaan	19
	20	Hanover	Edward W.	M	L	1	Fred A. Adams	Mary L. Fields	Hanover	Mason tender	Hanover	20	Lebanon	18
	21	Hanover	James M.	M	L	1	Carl P. Corliss	Doris B. Welch	W. Lebanon	Mechanic	Mass.	24	Canaan	22
	22	Hanover	Reside E.	F	L	2	Harold Benjamin	Evelyn H. Remick	Hanover	Clerk	Bethlehem	24	Norwich, Vt.	20
	24	Hanover	Kenneth S.	M	L	2	Roy S. Wood	Vera Jean Gray	N. Pomfret, Vt.	Woodman	Barnard, Vt.	34	M'rristown, N. Y.	18
	30	Hanover	Allen	M	L	2	Forest Allen	Edith Brooks	Bradford, Vt.	Merchant			Vermont	31
Aug.	1	Hanover	Joyce L.	F	L	3	Ernest Tobin	Cora Gerue	Hanover	Carpenter	Canada	41	Annaconta, Mo.	37
	3	Hanover	George A.	M	L	1	Robert A. Wilder	Helen R. Scammon	Som'ville, Mass	Professor	Willhurst, Can.	35	Stratham	36

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Date of Birth 1926	Place of Birth	Name of the Child (if any)	Sex	Liv. or Still	No. Children	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Residence of Parents	Occupation of Father	Birthplace of Father	Father's Age	Birthplace of Mother	Mother's Age
4	Hanover	Shirley E.	F	L	2	Clarence Wood	Viola Clark	W. R. Jct., Vt.	Railroadman	W. Hartford, Vt.	31	Sanbornton	21
4	Hanover	Avis L.	F	L	6	James L. Cole	Ida Philbrick	Pomfret, Vt.	Fireman	Minneapolis, Minn.	38	Wakefield, Mass.	34
4	Hanover	Laura C.	F	L	3	Carl R. Wheeler	Helen E. Derosa	Hanover	Laborer	Canaan	25	Austria	24
5	Hanover	Howard G.	M	L	3	George H. LeWare	Alice Gibbs	W. Lebanon	Railroadman	Hartland, Vt.	25	Quechee, Vt.	23
7	Hanover	Holly N.	F	S	2	Weymouth Pike	Dora Taylor	Lyme	Patrolman	Lyme	27	Thetford, Vt.	28
8	Hanover	Lawrence E.	M	L	1	Norris G. Ellison	Rena Green	Hartland, Vt.	Farmer	Hartland, Vt.	49	Alstead	30
10	Hanover	Warren A.	M	L	1	Elmer O. Hall	Marion A. Cutts	W. Lebanon	Farm M'gr.	Lebanon	31	Meriden	26
10	Hanover	Arthur R.	M	L	1	Ernest R. Lord	Bertha M. Hawley	Woodstock, Vt.	Farmer	Plymouth, Vt.	25	Eastford, Conn.	21
11	Hanover	Elaine E.	F	L	2	K. B. MacNichol	Alenna M. Emery	W. Lebanon	Truck driver	Northfield, Vt.	21	Manchester	21
11	Hanover	Pauline G.	F	L	3	Walter A. Bond	Grace M. Sanville	Lebanon	Plumber	New York	32	Lebanon	26
15	Hanover	Margaret	F	L	4	Clarence Picknell	Nancy Jamison	Strafford, Vt.	Farmer	Plainfield, Vt.	36	New York City	30
17	Hanover	Natalie O.	F	L	8	Byron B. Cole	Beautella Sanford	N. Pomfret, Vt.	Farmer	Quebec, Can.	35	Randolph, Vt.	29
17	Hanover	Nealand L.	M	L	1	Walter D. Hunt	Esther Strong	Bradford, Vt.	Plumber	Monroe	21	Bradford, Vt.	21
20	Hanover	Leah V.	F	L	1	Wil. H. Currier	Grace Kidney	Fairlee, Vt.	Truckman	Orford	18	McInd'es Fa., Vt.	17
24	Hanover	Everett W.	M	L	3	Norman D. Stone	Eva Murray	Hanover	Painter	Hanover	29	Milton, Vt.	28
25	Hanover	Wayland W.	M	L	1	Harry Bird	Luovice Hoisington	Com—St. home	Truckman	New Britian, Conn.	26	Stowe, Vt.	15
28	Hanover	Doris M.	F	L	4	Watson L. Bagloe	Evelyn M. Golden	Hanover	Chef	Prince Edward Is.	28	Greenville, Me.	21
30	Hanover	Norman	M	S	4	B. Judson Cilley	Elizabeth Hall	W. R. Jct., Vt.	Farmer	Canada	39	Norton Mills, Vt.	38
Sept. 1	Hanover	Harold	M	L	1	Harold R. Shaw	Leola M. Berry	Norwich, Vt.	Plumber	Vt.	43	Wilder, Vt.	23
1	Hanover	Schuyler P., Jr.	M	L	1	Schuyler P. Berry	Marion Spafford	Hanover	Mail Carrier	Waitsfield, Vt.	27	Plymouth, Vt	27
1	Hanover	Earl D.	M	L	3	Earl Heath	Ruby Ryan	Hanover	Laborer	Enfield	37	Royalton, Vt.	31
6	Hanover	Russell V.	M	L	7	E. E. H. Chesley	Flora Huntley	Hanover	Carpenter	Randolph, Vt.	46	Fairfax, Vt.	35
7	Hanover	William H., Jr.	M	L	1	William H. Sayre	Julia Picken	E. Thetford, Vt.	Farmer	E. Thetford, Vt.	25	Vershire, Vt.	25
10	Hanover	Jessie M.	F	L	2	Herman Picknell	Jessie Mitchell	Th'tf'd Ctr., Vt	Farmer	Strafford, Vt.	33	England	32
11	Hanover	John H.	M	L	3	Walter E. Druge	Emma Bennett	Vershire, Vt.	Farmer	Vershire, Vt.	48	Birmingham, Ill.	40
13	Hanover	Zane J.	M	L	2	Alton P. Cooley	Madge M. Howard	Wilder, Vt.	Clerk	Athens, Me.	26	Milton, Vt.	25
16	Hanover	Anne O'C.	F	L	2	Roy E. Littlefield	Anna O'Connor	Hanover	Clerk	Mancheter	35	Hartford, Vt.	35
18	Hanover	Joseph	M	L	2		Dora Biggs					Lafayette, Ind.	34
20	Hanover	Elizabeth	F	L	1	John J. Busch	Elizabeth Collins	Hanover	Student	Medway, Mass.	25	Gardiner, Me.	24
22	Hanover	Edwina M.	F	S	10	Alexander Clark	Harriet Houston	Thetford, Vt.	Farmer	Thetford, Vt.	46	Strafford, Vt.	40
25	Hanover	Ruth E.	F	L	3	Claude L. Noyes	Sarah Marsh	Wilder, Vt.	Sampler	Manchester	36	New Milf'd, Conn	39
28	Hanover	Ernest R.	M	L	4	Fred. A. Gardner	Mary E. Dugan	Norwich, Vt.	Laborer	Norwich, Vt.	43	Haverhill, Mass.	40
28	Hanover	Harold B.	M	L	3	Seaver D. Wright	Helen B. Gillette	W. R. Jct., Vt.	Farmer	W. R. Jct., Vt.	31	W. R. Jct., Vt.	36
30	Hanover	George Q.	M	L	1	George W. Hunt	F. A. Chapman	Wilder, Vt.	Steam fitter	Rochester, Vt.	26	S. Royalton, Vt.	26
Oct. 1	Hanover	Richard G.	M	L	1	Loren W. Jenkins	Dorothy Gibson	Norwich, Vt.	Clerk	E. Burke, Vt.	24	Melrose, Mass.	26
1	Hanover	Jean M.	F	L	1	Edward C. Garfield	Jean R. Malcolm	Lebanon	Minister	Hartford, Conn.	32	N. Adams, Mass.	31
4	Hanover	Edith E.	F	L	1	Henry D. Chase	Marion Batchelder	Orford	Garage	Wentworth	27	Newb'yp'rt, Mass.	30
6	Hanover	Shirley M.	F	L	2	Nelson Burnham	Doris Moore	Lebanon	Laborer	New Brunswick	24	Mascoma	18
6	Hanover	Frank R.	M	L	2	Frank Nichols	Gladys Reil	Wilder, Vt.	Laborer	Highgate, Vt.	32	Highgate, Vt.	21
6	Hanover	Barry W.	M	L	2	Warren H. Martin	Fannie Dickerman	Bradford, Vt.	Postmaster	Fairlee, Vt.	29	Topsham, Vt.	33
6	Hanover	James R.	M	L	3	Maurice G. Harvey	Jennie Pierce	W. R. Jct., Vt.	Bank Clerk	W. R. Jct., Vt.	34	Martinville, Can.	34

	11	Hanover	Robert C.	M	L	2	Clinton French	Margaret Colburn	Hartland, Vt.	Butcher	Hartland, Vt.	29	Mineville, N. Y.	29
	12	Hanover	Norman N.	M	L	1	Luther Goodrich	Verna Moulton	Norwich, Vt.	Carpenter	W. R. Jct., Vt.	29	Corinth, Vt.	23
	13	Hanover	Frances R.	F	L	1	Leon C. Ellis	Hazel A. Harrington	Quechee, Vt.	Garage	Barnard, Vt.	23	W. Hartford, Vt.	20
	14	Hanover	Helen E.	F	L	9	Charles B. Smith	F. M. Spaulding	Norwich, Vt.	Farmer	Lyme	39	Lebanon	36
	14	Hanover	Alfred J.	M	L	2	Joseph P. Dupont	Eva M. Messer	W. R. Jct., Vt.	Garage	Lincoln	27	3 Rivers, Can.	25
	15	Hanover	Edward G.	M	L	2	Grover D. Pixley	Alice E. Harvey	Strafford, Vt.	Laborer	Strafford, Vt.	34	Dunhaven, Can.	28
	17	Hanover	Jane	F	L	1	Thomas E. Welsh	Evelyn G. Ryan	W. Lebanon	R. R. Man	Barton, Vt.	28	W. R. Jct., Vt.,	26
	19	Hanover	Shirley A.	F	L	1	J. A. Hamilton	Sabora Martin	Hanover	Instructor	Brighton, Mich.	27	Lawrence, Mass.	24
	23	Hanover	Bettina	F	L	2	Theodore E. Bacon	Ada T. Atkinson	Hanover	Prin. H. school	New Hampton	31	Saco, Me.	32
	29	Hanover	Trembly	M	L	11	Isadore Trembly	Christabell Lawrence	Wilder, Vt.	Paper mill	Quebec	51	Berlin, Vt.	36
	30	Hanover	Adams	M	S	1	Ephraim L. Adams	Eva M. Stone	W. R. Jct., Vt.	Bus driver	Barre, Vt.	33	Quechee, Vt.	38
	31	Hanover	Thomas A.	M		1	Tho. A. Sutphan	Harriet Maynard	Hartford, Vt.	Sales. S. O. Co.	N. Hector, N. Y.	28	Cortland, N. Y.	24
	31	Hanover	Francis R.	M	L	5	Robert J. Handley	Bertha J. Muzzey	Strafford, Vt.	Blacksmith	Norwich, Vt.	26	Sunapee	27
Nov.	1	Hanover	Clarence E.	M	L	3	James A. Seace	Alice M. Chandler	Hanover	Laborer	Lunenburg, Vt.	37	Hanover	26
	1	Hanover	Stanley P.	M	L	4	Napoleon Lambert	Eglantine Gelle	Lebanon	Truckman	Wilder, Vt.	32	Canada	30
	7	Hanover	Doris M.	F	L	2	Her. V. Palumbo	Rita Pushor	Lebanon	Paymaster	Providence, R. I.	38	Pittsfield, Me.	29
	12	Hanover	William L.	M	L	9	Char. W. Pintcham	Eva Humiston	Hanover	Weaver	Centerville, Me.	27	Hanover	32
	12	Hanover	Lloyd G.	M	L	5	Lloyd G. Stetson	Mary A. Stetson	N. Pomfret, Vt.	Farmer	Leominster, Mass.	35	Fitchburg, Mass	30
	13	Hanover	John F.	M	L	3	Dennis Murphy	Nellie Callahan	W. H'rtf'd. Vt.	Laborer	Ireland	36	Ireland	36
	18	Hanover	Jasper E.	M	L	1	G. W. Putnam Jr.	Marion Corliss	Piermont	Farmer	W. Newbury, Vt.	30	Bradford, Vt.	31
	18	Hanover	Doris M.	F	L	6	C. F. Dickenson	Bernice E. Lambert	Hanover	Baker	Bradford, Vt.	32	Whitfield	29
	15	Hanover	Allen F.	M	L	1		Esther A. Riley					Hanover	17
	19	Hanover	Lambert	F	S	3	Arthur Lambert	Jessie Wright	Bradford, Vt.	Clerk & Oper.	Highgate, Vt.	38	Bradford, Vt.	31
	24	Hanover	Anne F.	F	L	3	Roger S. Norton	J. L. Townsend	Norwich, Vt.	Student	Chicago, Ill.	34	Saginaw, Mich.	33
	27	Hanover	Carl S.	M	L	1	Roland S. Porter	Gertrude D. Crafts	Wilder, Vt.	Mill	West Paris, Me.	23	S. D'rfi'ld. Mass.	23
	28	Hanover	Jean	F	L	1	Allan Macdonald	Elizabeth Greenwood	Hanover	Instructor	Lawrence, Mass.	25	Lawrence, Mass.	25
	28	Hanover	Bredgia J.	F	L	2	Pertro J. Saladino	Josephine L. Bacon	Fairlee, Vt.	Mechanic	New York	24	Fairlee, Vt.	23
Dec.	2	Hanover	Margaret L.	F	L	2	William E. Pitkin	Eva G. Baker	W. R. Jct., Vt.	Candy shop	W. Hartford, Vt.	23	Meriden	26
	3	Hanover	Elizabeth E.	F	L	2	M. H. Benson	Julia Wagner	Lebanon	Farmer	Hanover	28	Yonkers, N. Y.	26
	8	Hanover	Kenneth T D., J	M	L	1	K. T. D. Fogg	Ruth E. Butler	Hartford, Vt.	Elec. Engineer	Hartford, Vt.	22	Chelsea, Mass.	20
	10	Hanover	Wilbur G.	M	L	3	Alph. J. Boucher	Agness Lovell	Lebanon	Truck driver	Lebanon	29	Lebanon	29
	12	Hanover	Hutchins	M	S	1	H. C. Hutchins	Flora M. Harlow	W. R. Jct., Vt.	R. R. man	W. R. Jct., Vt.	25	Woodstock, Vt.	16
	27	Hanover	Arlene A.	F	L	1	Ernest L. Goodwin	Delia A. Johndro	Lebanon	Laborer	Bury, Canada	37	Ripton, Vt.	28
	27	Hanover	Guy E.	M	L	1	Guy E. Cogswell	Muriel G. Chase	Lebanon	Sales Manager	Henniker	32	New London	24

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GEORGE M. BRIDGMAN, *Town Clerk*

Marriages Registered in the Town of Hanover for the Year Ending December 31, 1926

Date of Marriage 1926	Place of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride	Residence of each at time of Marriage	Age in Years	Occupation of Groom and Bride	Place of birth of each	Names of Parents	Birthplace of Parents	Occupation	No. Mar.	Name, residence and official station of persons by whom married
Jan. 21	Lebanon	Isaac T. Truman	Hanover	24	Mechanic	Copperfield, Vt.	Joseph Truman	Maryland	Janitor	1	Rev. Howard H. White Lebanon Clergyman
							Mary Emmerton	Strafford, Vt.	At home		
		Iris Jones	Lebanon	18	At Home	Lebanon	Harry Jones	Harrison, Ohio	Railroad	1	
							Emma Buckren	Lebanon	Factory		
Feb. 6	Hanover	Herbert Slater	Hanover	29	Counterman	Chelsea, Mass.	Robert Slater	Boston, Mass	Guide	1	George M. Bridgman, Hanover J. P.
							Martha McClellan	Little B'dck, N. S.	Housewife		
		Laura Provost	Lebanon	23	Stitcher	Lebanon	Hector Provost	Canada	Foreman	1	
							Mary Landry	New York	Housewife		
Mar 27	Lebanon	George N. Howe	Hanover	21	Barber		Richard L. Howe	Hinsdale	Moulder	1	Ralph L. Bean, Lebanon, Justice of the Peace
							Nora Patnaude	Stafford Spr., Ct.	Housewife		
		Marion L. Bond	Hanover	25	Waitress		William Bond	Norwich, Vt.	Farmer	2	
							Elizabeth F. Hall	Hanover	Housewife		
May 5	Hanover	Frederick De Lisle	Hanover	21	Electrician	Montreal, P. Q.	Alphonse De Lisle	P. Q.	Retired	1	Rev. Roy B. Chamberlin, Hanover Clergyman
							Annie Weith	Montreal, P. Q.	Housewife		
		Muriel I. Brown	Hanover	21	Stenographer	Compton, P. Q.	Moody G. Brown	Compton, P. Q.	Farmer	1	
							Lilly A. Bean	Coaticoke, P. Q.	Housekeeper		
May 18	Enfield	Elpheage Kirouac	Hanover	21	Bank Clerk	Greenfield, Mass.	Napoleon J. Kirouac	St. Pierre, P. Q.	R. R. Mach.	1	Rev. Leonard Geisel, Enfield, R. C. Priest
							Zoraide Rochleau	N'rth'pt'n, Mass.	Housewife		
		Winifred Pancoast	Hanover	22	Librarian	Melrose, Mass.	Fred L. Pancoat	Cambridge, Mass.	Ins. Inspector	1	
							Ella Seavey	Portsmouth	Housewife		
May 29	Hanover	Morgan S. Bridge	Hanover	25	Janitor	Hanover	Edwin J. Bridge		Caretaker	1	George M. Bridgman, Hanover, J. P.
							Catherine Smalley		Caretaker		
		Doris E. Reynolds	Strafford, Vt.	22	At Home	Randolph, Vt.	Charles C. Reynolds	Strafford, Vt.	Lum. dealer	1	
							Emma Udall		Housewife		
June 9	Lebanon	Allen J. Anderson	Hanover	30	Plumber	Thetford, Vt.	James A. Anderson	Canada	Caretaker	1	Rev. John A. Barker, Lebanon, Clergyman
							Lettie Gilbert	Lyme	Housewife		
		Ruth E. Green	Hanover	25	Housework	Fairview, Okla.	Thomas C. Green	Leando, Iowa	Paper mill	1	
							Sarah Jones	Eldon, Iowa	Housewife		
June 23	Concord	Trangott Richter	Hanover	21	Student	Davenport, Ia.	Henry Richter	Davenport, Ia.	Furrier	1	Rev. John T. Dallas, Concord, Clergyman
							Minnie Stender	Davenport, Ia.	Housewife		
		Dolores Kopp	Davenp't, Ia.	22	At Home	Chicago, Ill.	Richard Kopp	Chicago, Ill.	Vulcanizer	1	
							Anna Stimmetz	Chicago, Ill.	Housewife		
June 29	Hanover	Artemas Packard	Hanover	31	Teacher	Boston, Mass.	Frederick C. Packard	Chelsea, Mass.	Photographer	1	Rev. Roy B. Chamberlin Hanover Clergyman
							Mary Winchester	Boston, Mass.	Housewife		
		Marjory B. Lord	Hanover	27	Clerk	Hanover	George D. Lord	Limington, Me.	Col. Professor	1	
							Annette Bowen	Woodstock, Conn.	Housewife		

July 31	Hanover	John C. Pallas	Hanover	24	Waiter	Albania	Matthew Pallas	Albania	Baker	1	Rev. Charles D. Adams, Hanover, Clergyman
							Katherine Dralios	Albania	Housewife		
		Lottie E. Cooley	Hanover	23	Bookkeeper	Norwich, Vt.	Arthur Cooley	Rutland, Vt.	Janitor	1	
							Laura Kendall	Sharon, Vt.	Housewife		
Aug. 10	Hanover	Roy Brackett	Hanover	40	Lawyer	Limington, Me.	James F. Brackett	Limington, Me.	Retired	1	Rev. Charles D. Adams, Hanover, Clergyman
							Linda W. Foss	Limington, Me.			
		Dorothy Glle	Hanover	23	At Home	Hanover	John M. Gile	Pembroke	Physician	1	
							Vesta Fowler	Epsom	Housewife		
Aug. 14	Hanover	Stephen Chase, Jr.	Dunedin, Fla.	22	Machinery	Passumpsic, Vt.	Stephen Chase	Hanover	Contractor	1	Rev. Leigh R. Urban Southbridge, Mass, Clergy.
							Helen Watts	Peacham, Vt.	Housewife		
		Isabel Urban	Hanover	22	At Home	Hartford, Conn.	Wilbur M. Urban	Philadelphia, Pa.	Col. Professor	1	
							Elizabeth Wakelin	Philadelphia, Pa.	Housewife		
Sept. 1	Hanover	Laurence G. Tyler	W. N'wb'y, Vt.	28	Farmer	W. Newbury, Vt.	John B. C. Tyler	W. Newbury, Vt.	Farmer	1	Rev. Fred W. Knickrehm Hanover Clergyman
							Abbie Parker	Wentworth	Housewife		
		Gladys B. Avery	Hanover	33	Secretary	N. Ben'ing'n, Vt.	George Blood	Lyme	Painter	2	
							Fairie Jones	W. Newbury, Vt.	Housewife		
Aug. 4	Hanover	James W. Ferson	Hanover	49	Farmer	Hanover	John J. Ferson	Antrim	Farmer	1	Rev. F. H. Perkins, Orford, Clergyman
							Rhoda A. Doyle	Plainfield	Housewife		
		Muriel A. Low	Hanover	30	Teacher	Newton, Mass.	Moses L. Armstrong	S. Boston, Mass.	Hotel keeper	2	
							Mattie M. Betton	Portsmouth	Housewife		
Sept. 4	Hanover	Hugh A. McLaughlin	Hanover	46	Trainer	Boston, Mass.	Hugh McLaughlin	Boston, Mass.	Hatter	2	Rev. John W. Sliney, Hanover, R. C. Clergyman
							Bridget Winn	Ireland	Cook		
		Vitalyn Guernsey	Hanover	36	Cook	Hartford, Vt..	Peter Granger		Farmer	2	
							Mary Coutermarsh		Housewife		
Sept. 11	Hanover	Troyer S. Anderson	Hanover	26	Teacher	Min'ap'l's, Minn.	Frank M. Anderson	Omaha, Neb.	Teacher	1	Rev. Roy B. Chamberlin Hanover Clergyman
							Mary G. Steele	Dickson, Ill.	Housewife		
		Mary F. Gerould	Hanover	23	At Home	Hanover	John H. Gerould		Teacher	1	
							Adah M. Hasbrook	Galesburg, Ill.	Housewife		
Sept. 18	Hanover	William S. Nicholson	Mald'n, Mass.	24	Bank Clerk	Roxbury, Mas	D. C. Nicholson	Oban, N. Scotia	Clerk	1	Louis D. Vancelette, Hanover, Justice of the Peace
							C. C. Sinclair	Goshen, N. Scotia	Housewife		
		Edna D. Thompson	Hanover	20	Stenographer	Hanover	W. W. Thompson	S. Ham, P. Q.	Farmer	1	
							Lily Frances Devey	Danville, P. Q.	Housewife		
Sept. 21	Lebanon	Roy E. Waterman	Hanover	27	Painter	Thetford, Vt.	Henry C. Waterman	Thetford, Vt.	Retired	2	Rev. Howard H. White Lebanon
							Emma Gile	Strafford, Vt.	Housewife		
		Amah L. Simonds	Thetford, Vt.	19	Housework	Corinth, Vt.	Selah G. Simonds	Warren, N. H.	Farmer	1	
							Sarah M. Hatch	W. Fairlee, Vt.	Housewife		
Sept. 27	Hanover	William N. Thayer	Lynn, Mass.	45	Accountant	E'sth'm't'n, Mass.	Amasa S. Thayer			1	Rev. Roy B. Chamberlin Hanover
							Sarah J. Aldrich				
		Ellen G. Abbott	Hanover	22	At Home	Hanover	Henry G. Abbott	W. Fairlee, Vt.	Operator	1	
							Lavinia E. Alexand'r	K'rm'rs M'lls, PQ	Housewife		
Sept. 29	Lebanon	John O. Dana	Hanover	32	Laborer	Hanover	John B. Dana	Hanover	Farmer	2	Rev. Howard White Lebanon
							Anna M. Camp	Lebanon	Housewife		
		Helen E. McAllister	Enfield	36	Mill operator	Lebanon	Melvin Cross	Hanover	Laborer	2	
							Alice	Enfield	Housewife		
Sept. 30	Hanover	John Campbell	Manchester	31	Salesman	Manchester	Harrison Campbell	Bedford	Farmer	1	Rev. Roy B. Chamberlin Hanover
							Clara Kimball	Deerfield	Housewife		
		Julia A. Carleton	Goffstown	40	Bookkeeper	Dunbarton	Daniel Jameson	Dunbarton	Cattle dealer	2	
							Mary J. Austin	Bow	Housewife		

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Date of Marriage 1926	Place of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride	Residence of each at time of Marriage	Age in Years	Occupation of Groom and Bride	Place of birth of each	Names of Parents	Birthplace of Parents	Occupation	No. Mar.	Name, residence and official station of persons by whom married
Sept. 30	Hanover	Paul R. King	Hartford, Vt.	19	Clerk, R. R.	Saxon River, Vt.	Alfred M. King	Keene	Switchman	1	Rev. John W. Sliney
							Mary H. Withington	Ludlow, Vt.	Housewife		
		Hazel E. Trachier	Hanover	21	Stenographer	Hanover	Philip J. Trachier	St. Helena, P. Q.	Restaurant	1	Hanover
							Mary L. Sicard	Barton, Vt.	Housewife		
Oct. 3	Hanover	Wilbur J. Bunnell	Hanover	28	Clerk	Akron, Ohio	Edward S. Bunnell	Warren, Ohio	Hardware	1	Rev. John T. Dallas
							Nellie M. Buchanan	Monroe Falls, O.	Housewife		
		Gladys Alexander	Akron, Ohio	27	Stenographer	Ghent, Ohio	Alonzo C. Alexander	Ghent, Ohio	Contractor	1	Concord, N. H.
							Kattie L. Behmer	Ghent, Ohio	Housewife		
Oct. 16	Hanover	Erwin H. Jache	Manchester	26	Salesman	Manchester	Henry Jache	Langentilau Ger.	Mill worker	1	Rev. Walter A. Renning
							Anna A. Schmidt	Langentilau Ger.	Housewife		
		Marion F. Rennie	Hanover	28	At Home	Hanover	Alexander Rennie	W'nch'nbr'k, P.Q.	Farmer	1	Manchester
							Mary Glasco	Prescott, P. Q.	Housewife		
Oct. 23	Hanover	Maynard P. Webb	Hanover	23	Cook	Hanover	Harry D. Webb	Lyme	Express	1	Louis D. Vancelette J. P.
							Cora Perkins	Orleans, Vt.	Housewife		
		Alice M. Green	Sp'ngfi'ld, Vt.	19	Nurse	Rochester, Vt.	Alphonse Green		Machinist	1	Hanover
Oct. 21	Hanover	Raymond A. Goodwin	Hanover	28	Garage & Rest'r't	Piermont, N. H.	John M. Goodwin	Boston, Mass.	Creamery	2	Rev. Fred W. Knickrehm
							Ada A. Abbott	Newbury, Vt.	Housewife		
		Anna M. Gibson	Hanover	35	Restaurant	Wheelock, Vt.	Duntel M. Goodwin	Glover, Vt.	Farmer	2	Hanover
							Edna Lund	Burke, Vt.	Housewife		
Nov. 8	Hanover	George H. Gentsch	Jaffrey, N. H.	31	Garage	Clinton, Mass.	Hugo F. Gentsch	Pittsfield	Weaver	1	George M. Bridgman
							Mary D. Keisling	Germany	Housewife		
		Lucy C. Kelley	W. Lebanon	29	Drug Clerk	Lyme	Charles W. Canfield	Lyme	Blacksmith	2	J. Peace Hanover
							Susan Strong	Plainfield	Housewife		
Nov. 27	Hanover	George F. Vaughan	St. P'b'g, Fla.	31	Swim'ng Instr'or	Worcester, Mass.	Charles Vaughan	Thetford, Vt.	Contractor	1	Rev. Howard H. White
							Adele Fairbanks	Cambridge, Mass.	Housewife		
		Beatrice H. Emerson	Thetford, Vt.	20	At Home	Hartford, Vt.	Leonard Emerson	Newbury, Vt.	Carpenter	1	Lebanon
							Frances Nowlan	Halifax, N. S.	Housewife		
Nov. 29	Hanover	Roy R. Reynolds	Hanover	28	Garage	A'b'ts C'n'r, P.Q.	Albert Reynolds	St. Armond, P. Q.	Farmer	1	Rev. John W. Sliney
							Mary J. Krans	Pigeon Hill, P. Q.	Housewife		
		Phyllis Kennedy	Hanover	20	At Home	Lyndonville, Vt.	Peter Kennedy	Wisconsin	Farmer	1	Hanover
							Mary Linaugh	Wolfstown, P. Q.	Housewife		
Dec. 25	Manchester	Frederick C. Davis	Hanover	24	Journalist	St. Joseph, Mo.	Clyde L. Davis	St. Joseph, Mo.	Doctor	1	Rev. Stoddard Lane
							Lillian A. Stephan	St. Joseph, Mo.	Housewife		
		Lillian Davis	Manchester	20	Clerk	Derry, N. H.	Ernest Z. Davis	Derry	Ins. Agent	1	Manchester
							Josephine Clarke	Derry	Housewife		

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Jan. 7	Hanover	Percy D. Hazen	61				M	S	Farmer	Vermont	Vermont	David D. Hazen	Adeline Dutton
12	Hanover	Grace L. Holbrook	53			Boston, Mass.	F	S	Nurse	Lowell, Mass.	Scotland	John Holbrook	Annie Burnett
30	Hanover	Edward J. Stone		1	16	Wilder, Vt.	M			Vermont	Vermont	Ernest Stone	Lizzie Carter
Feb. 7	Hanover	Asa W. Fellows	89	8	1	Hanover	M	W	Farmer	Hanover	Hanover	Ira Fellows	Abigail Wright
13	Hanover	Georgia Low	6	1	23	Hanover	F	S	School girl	Essex, Mass.	Essex, Mass.	Fletcher Low	Margery Story
17	Hanover	Dexter Alger	58			Vermont	M		Teamster	Vermont		Constant Alger	Laura Taft
28	Hanover	Luther Newcomb	70			Thetford, Vt.	M	M	Farmer	Lyme	Orford	Munroe Newcomb	Sarah Gage
Mar. 2	Hanover	Max Hirsh	49			Austria	M	M	Merchant	Austria	Austria	Max Hirsch	Esther
5	Hanover	Mildred Gates		11		Hartford, Vt.	F			Vermont	Vermont	Stanley Gates	Ada Maynard
12	Hanover	Elizabeth Stewart	78	8	20	Brownsburg, P. Q.	F	W		Scotland	Scotland	Andrew McOnat	Elizabeth Robson
17	Hanover	Clara E. Adams	77	8	2	Norwich, Vt.	F	W	Home			Samuel S. Davis	
23	Hanover	Minnie French	34			Brattleboro, Vt.	F	W	Housewife	Vermont		Bert Leitsinger	Selma Mallander
26	Hanover	Flora E. Jenks	69			Putney, Vt.	F	W				Silas Hanks	Almira Houghton
29	Hanover	Otis D. Freeman	56			N. H.	M	M	Merchant	New. Hamp.	Vermont	Charles Freeman	Annie De May
Apr. 3	Hanover	Ernest C. Robes	56			Somerville, Mass.	M			Wells, Me.	Maine	Andrew W. Robes	Anna Richardson
6	Hanover	Charles W. Hayes	73	5	24	Hanover	M	M	Merchant	Hanover	Hanover	Joel M. Hayes	Susan Waterman
7	Hanover	David Kilbourne	76	6	16	Hartford, Vt.	M	S	Min. & farmer	Vermont	Barnard, Vt.	Merril Kilbourne	Perkins
7	Hanover	Nellie M. Bryant	52			Vermont	F	S	At home	Vermont	Vermont	Merrill Bryant	Ellen Carpenter
		Valdniro Tossithisi											
7	Hanover	Levi Oneido	40			Italy	M	S	Clerk	Italy	Italy	John Oneido	Louisa Gabelli
7	Hanover	Augusta M. Cook	54			Thetford, Vt.	F	S	Housekeeper	Lyme	Thetford, Vt.	Horace Cook	Melvina Robinson
10	Hanover	George N. Filiau	83	11	17	Beanport, P. Q.	M	W	Far. & Jan.	P. Q.	P. Q.	Peter Filiau	Louisa
11	Hanover	Madine G. Stone			11	Hanover	F	S		Hanover	Lebanon	Herman M. Stone	Alleen Bates
16	Hanover	Millard W. Johnson	73	10	12	Norwich, Vt.	M	D	None	Norwich, Vt.	Norwich, Vt.	Jason O. Johnson	Ruth Tilden
18	Hanover	John Donahue	49			Canada	M	M	Contractor	Ireland		John Donahue	
20	Hanover	Edward Fitzgerald	89			Ireland	M	W	Tailor	Ireland	Ireland	Thom. Fitzgerald	Eliz. McCarthy
23	Hanover	Charles Putney	68			New London	M	W	Farmer	New London	Sutton	Henry Putney	Lucy Davis
24	Hanover	Abbie M. Cobleigh	64			N. H.	F		Housewife	New Hamp.	New Hamp.	Josh. Swiningon	Phoebe Hovey
24	Hanover	Gilman Rogers	48			Norwich, Vt.	M	M	Carpenter	Norwich, Vt.	Bethel, Vt.	George Rogers	Lonvanne Owen
25	Hanover	Alice J. Smith	54			S. Royalton, Vt.	F	M	Housewife	Vermont	Vermont	Horatio Blake	Rosalind Slack
25	Hanover	Alice Abbott	70			Canaan	F	M		New Hamp.	New Hamp.	Elijah Johnson	Mary Jenness
26	Hanover	Edwin Paslee		2	15	Hanover	M	S		New Hamp.	Vermont	Israel Paslee	Ruth Noyes
26	Hanover	Walter M. Mudgett	65			Gilmanton	M	W	Farmer	Gilmanton	Canterbury	Albert Mudgett	Martha Dwinnell
30	Hanover	Ella Pierce	77			Vermont	F	W				William Winslow	Eliza Moshier
May 6	Hanover	Laura Kenyon	74			Newbury, Vt.	F	W	At home	Scotland	Norwich, Vt.	James Forsythe	Laura Thompson
6	Hanover	Maloney	0	0	0	Hanover	M	S			Hartland, Vt.	Thomas Maloney	Alva Hadley
7	Hanover	Sarah A. Morton	77			Searsport	F	W	Home	Belfast, Me.		James Crockett	

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13	Hanover	Ruth H. White	35	8	12	Springfield, Vt.	F	S	As'st. Cashier	Springfield, Vt.	Perkinsville, Vt.	Robert S. White	Jennie A. Parker
21	Hanover	Harry A. Brown	54	7	21	Hanover	M	M	Restaurant	Hanover	Hanover	Horace C. Brown	Sus. Chandler
28	Hanover	Smith			3	Hanover	M	S				George Smith	Bertha Paronto
June 3	Hanover	Lillian D. Foster	61	1	17	Liverpool, Eng.	F	M	Housewife	Liverpool, Eng.	Liverpool, Eng.	Charles Smith	Eliza Cook
6	Hanover	Marion Franklin	34			Orford	F	M	Housewife	New Hamp.	New Hamp.	C. Chamberlain	Arabel Nichols
8	Hanover	Daniel A. Cummings	85	3	27	Thetford, Vt.	M	M	None	Thetford, Vt.	Thetford, Vt.	Ezra Cummings	Phebe Waterman
11	Hanover	Eleanor G. Harrington			7	Hanover	F			Vermont	Vermont	Earl Harrington	Gertrude Wark
17	Hanover	Ellen L. Lamphere	65			Vermont	F	W	Home	Canada		Mitchell Barraby	
26	Hanover	Mabel D. Ashey	35			Vermont	F	M	Housewife	Vermont	Vermont	Geo. Morse	Benjamin
28	Hanover	Charles A. Streeter	44			Rutland, Vt.	M	M	Machinist	Vermont	Vermont	Lemuel Streeter	Laura Gorham
29	Hanover	Shepard	0	0	0	Hanover	M			Vermont	Vermont	Harley Shepard	Cora Powers
July 3	Hanover	Louise Moynahan	54			New York	F	M	Housewife				
5	Hanover	Newton A. Frost	74	7	29	Charlestown	M	M	Jeweller, Ins.	Jaffrey	Acworth	Alvin Frost	Cynthia S. Clark
5	Hanover	Alma E. Hayes	65			Hanover	F	W	Housewife	New Hamp.	Hanover	Leonard Babbitt	Rachel Merrill
7	Hanover	Lewis White	14			Vermont	M	S	School boy	Woodstock, Vt.	Brattleboro, Vt.	Robert White	Effie Jackworth
12	Hanover	Graves	0	0	0	Hanover	F			New York	New Hamp.	Stillman Graves	Marion Robbins
12	Hanover	Smith	0	0	0	Hanover				Conn.	Conn.	Ernest Smith	Lillie Jennings
13	Hanover	Ada Smith	31			Warren, Conn.	F	M	Housewife	Warren, Conn.	Conn.	Charles Young	Lillie Jennings
15	Hanover	Jennie Kibling	57			Lyme	F	M	Housewife	Lyme	Vermont	David Dyke	Lucinda Roberts
20	Hanover	Dora Craig	61			Ohio	F	W	Housewife	Penn.		Daniel Anders	
21	Hanover	Mary Ryan	64			New York	F	S	None		Vermont		
30	Hanover	Allen		10 hrs		Hanover	M					Forest Allen	Edith Brooks
30	Hanover	Margaret Owen	28			New York	F	M	Housewife	New York	New York	Wm. Ingleston	Mimie Richards
30	Hanover	Samuel W. Smith	71	5	19	Hanover	M	M	Farmer	Hanover	Hanover	Franklin Smith	Adeline E. Smith
Aug. 5	Hanover	Stella Beattie	13			Vershire, Vt.	F	S	School girl	Canada	W. Fairlee, Vt.	Samuel Beattie	Daisy Bartlett
6	Hanover	Lute A. Berry	64			Vermont	M		Farmer	Vermont	Vermont	George Berry	Irene Parker
6	Hanover	George L. Jordan	11			Colebrook	M	S	School boy	New Hamp.	Maine	Lindsay Jordan	Edith Woolson
7	Hanover	Hally N. Pike	0	0	0		F				Thetford, Vt.	Weymouth Pike	Dora Taylor
7	Hanover	Elizabeth L. Wilder	80			Canada	F	M	Housewife			Carners	
15	Hanover	Albert C. Stewart	66		11	Southport, P. E. I.	M	M	Carpenter	Southport, P.E.I.	Mt. Albion, P.E.I.	Charles Stewart	Eliza Seally
15	Hanover	Margaret Picknell			1	Hanover	F			New Hamp.	New York City	Clarence Picknell	Nancy Jameson
12	Hanover	Nellie Waldo	48			Vermont	F	W	Housework	Bethel, Vt.	Grafton, Vt.	Henry Howard	Emma Prouty
26	Hanover	Leo B. Fox	53			Enfield	M	M	Carpenter	Hanover	Hanover	Harvey Fox	Lucinda Edwad
28	Hanover	Abbie L. Pitken	76	5	25	Quechee, Vt.	F	W	.	Quechee, Vt.	Quechee, Vt.	John Bliss	Emeline Colburn
31	Hanover	Michael McCarthy	97	9	23	Cork, Ireland	M	W	Retired	Cork, Ireland	Cork, Ireland	John McCarthy	Cath. Desmond
Sept. 1	Hanover	Carlton N. Camp	81	7	27	Hanover	M	W	Farmer	Hanover	Hanover	Asa Camp	Mary Woodward
3	Hanover	George Coolbeth	53			Vermont	M	M	Farmer	Vermont	Vermont	Erastus Coolbeth	Eliza Smith

Deaths—Continued

Date of Death 1926	Place of Death	Name and Surname of Deceased	Age Yrs.	Age Mos.	Age Days	Place of Birth	Male or Female	S. M. or W	Occupation	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother
5	Hanover	Christopher Rice	76	3	3	Wales	M	W	R. R. Emp.	Wales	Wales	John Rice	Eliza Thomas
9	Hanover	Edward Howe	61			Post Mills, Vt.	M	W	Boat house	Thetford, Vt.	Thetford, Vt.	Lorenzo Howe	Caroline Worthen
22	Hanover	Clark	0	0	0	Hanover	F				Strafford, Vt.	Alexander Clark	Harriet Houston
22	Hanover	Marens M. Kilton	79			Grafton	M	W	Farmer	Grafton	Grafton	James Kilton	Sally Ford
22	Hanover	Augusta Mayberry	60			Haverhill	F	M	Housewife	Haverhill	Woodstock, Vt.	Amos Stearns	Lucy Merrill
23	Hanover	Elias Whittier	57	8		Orange	M	W	Teamster	Canada		Aaron Whittier	
27	Hanover	Charles Wistner	43			New Jersey	M	M	Laborer	Sweden		August Wistner	
29	Hanover	William J. Tucker	87	2	16	Griswold, Conn.	M	M	Retired	Griswold, Conn.	Griswold, Conn.	Henry Tucker	Sarah W. Tesler
Oct. 1	Hanover	Mrs. Chas. P. Morse	86			Plymouth, Mass.	F	W					
1	Hanover	Ira Goddard	24			Vermont	M	W	Farmer		Vermont	Thomas Goddard	May Palmer
1	Hanover	O'Connell	0	0	0	Hanover	F				New Hamp.	John O'Connell	Stella Wilder
1	Hanover	John Wvitko	55			Poland	M	M	Farmer	Poland	Poland	Powel Wvitko	Priscilla Wvitko
5	Hanover	George E. Jacobs	52			Vermont	M	M	Barber	Vermont	New Jersey	Alfred Jacobs	Ellen Rowe
6	Hanover	Alphonse Gagnon	54			Van Buren, Me.	M	M	Laborer	Maine	Maine	Louis Gagnon	Fleuve King
8	Hanover	John Kaveney	58			Hartford, Vt.	M	S	Railroad			John Kaveney	Mary Flynn
11	Hanover	Jennie Batchelder	57			Bridgeport, Vt.	F	W	Housewife	Jay, N. Y.	Jay, N. Y.	George Peck	Clarinda Call
30	Hanover	Placide E. Adams	0	0	0	Hanover	M				Vermont	Ephraim Adams	Eva Stone
Nov. 16	Hanover	Elizabeth Cook	73			Canada	F	M	Housewife	Canada	Canada	Lewis Greenwood	Julia Rivers
16	Hanover	William Bailey	52			Canaan	M	S	Farmer			William Bailey	
19	Hanover	Lambert	0	0	0	Hanover		S			Vermont	Arthur Lambert	Jessie Wright
19	Hanover	Kenneth W. Pierce	34			Warren, Vt.	M	S	Plumber	Warren, Vt.	Moretown, Vt.	William Pierce	Lola Spaulding
25	Hanover	John Murphy	50				M		Painter				
Dec. 2	Hanover	Louis Sharkey	21			New York	M	M	Mill operator	New York	Vermont	Albert Sharkey	Hattie Lower
2	Hanover	Russell V. Chesley		2	26	Hanover	M	S		Randolph, Vt.	Fairfax, Vt.	E. E. H. Chesley	Flora Huntley
4	Hanover	Hattie Murphy	43				F	M	Housewife		New Hamp.	James Holt	Lena Talbert
6	Hanover	Mrs. Ben White	83	8	27	Canada	F	M		Canada	Canada	Joe Boardman	Porter
7	Hanover	Edna Jordan	58				F	M	Housewife				

I hereby certify that the above return is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

GEORGE M. BRIDGMAN, *Town Clerk*

TWENTY-SIXTH

ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

OFFICERS

OF THE

Village Precinct

OF

HANOVER, N. H.

FOR THE YEAR ENDING
JANUARY 31

1927

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the inhabitants of the Village Precinct in the town of Hanover, in the county of Grafton, in said State, qualified to vote in Precinct affairs.

You are hereby notified to meet in the Nugget Theatre, in said Village, on Thursday the tenth day of March, 1927, at 8:30 P. M., o'clock, to vote on the following subjects:

First: To choose by ballot a moderator to preside over said meeting.

Second: To choose by ballot a clerk to serve for the term of one year.

Third: To hear the reports of the Precinct Commissioners, Treasurer, and Auditor and pass any vote relating thereto.

Fourth: To choose by ballot a Treasurer and Auditor each to serve for the term of one year and one Precinct Commissioner to serve for three years.

Fifth: To raise such sums of money as shall be necessary to defray the expenses of the Precinct for the current year, including a Police Department, Fire Department, Highway Department, Street Lighting Department, and all other necessary departments, and to pay outstanding notes.

Sixth: To see if the Precinct will vote to build any so called permanent highway and raise and appropriate the money therefore.

Seventh: To see if the Precinct will purchase all or any part of 100 shares of capital stock of the Hanover Water Works Company, being the balance of the Precinct's proportion of the new stock in the Water Company issued in 1924, and to take any action in connection therewith.

Eighth: To transact any other business that may come before said meeting.

Given under our hand and seal this 23rd day of February, 1927.

ARTHUR P. FAIRFIELD,
F. F. PARKER,
ROLAND A. LEWIN,

Commissioners

A true copy of the warrant—Attest.

ARTHUR P. FAIRFIELD,
F. F. PARKER,
ROLAND A. LEWIN,

Commissioners

OFFICERS OF THE PRECINCT

Moderator
FRANK A. MUSGROVE

Treasurer
ALFRED W. GUYER

Clerk
IRA W. LEAVITT

Auditor
ROBERT ELSASSAR, *Resigned;*
CLARENCE W. COFRAN, *Appointed*

Commissioners
ARTHUR P. FAIRFIELD, Three Years
ROLAND A. LEWIN, One Year
FRED F. PARKER, Two Years

Chief Engineer
CHARLES LEWIN

Captain Volunteer Hose Co.
ALBERT BROWN

First Assistant Volunteer Hose Co.
H. A. BROWN

Second Assistant
RICHARD RAND

Police Officers
H. B. ROOD, Chief
C. S. ROY

Hanover, N. H.

March 26, 1926.

A meeting of the legal voters of the Village Precinct of Hanover was called to order by Frank A. Musgrove at seven thirty (7.30) o'clock P. M.

The warrant was read by the clerk:

Article 1. Frank A. Musgrove was elected moderator for one year.

Article 2. Ira W. Leavitt was elected clerk for one year.

Article 3. Voted to accept and place on file the reports of the Precinct Commissioners, Treasurer and Auditor as printed in the annual report for the year 1926.

Article 4. Alfred W. Guyer was elected Treasurer for one year. Robert W. Elsasser was elected Auditor for one year. Arthur P. Fairfield was elected Precinct Commissioner for three years.

Article 5. Voted that the Village Precinct of Hanover, N. H., raise and appropriate the sum of seventeen thousand three hundred and ninety-five dollars ($17,395.00) to defray the expenses of the Precinct for the current year according to the items set forth in the budget.

Article 6. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of fifty dollars ($50.00) to defray any expenses of decorating the graves of soldiers and sailors who have served in the army or navy of the United States in time of war, the same to be given to and expended by any committee appointed by the American Legion for this purpose.

Article 7. The motion, that the Village Precinct of Hanover raise and appropriate the sum of forty-five hun-

dred dollars ($4,500.00) and that a further sum of forty-five hundred dollars ($4,500.00) be borrowed on a note for one year or such part thereof as may be necessary for the permanent improvement of South Park Street was not carried.

Article 8. Voted that the Village Precinct of Hanover, N. H., hereby authorizes the Precinct Commissioners to purchase or lease land and the right of way thereto for the purpose of disposing of waste materials, and further authorizes the Precinct Commissioners to erect an incinerator or other structure for the treatment or destruction of such waste material, and further authorizes the Precinct Commissioners to borrow money on the notes of the Village Precinct for carrying out the provisions of this vote.

Article 9. Voted to pass over this article of the warrant.

Article 10. Voted to pass over article ten of the warrant.

Article 11. Voted that the Precinct Commissioners be and hereby are authorized to borrow such sums of money as may be necessary to defray the expenses of the Village Precinct before taxes are raised, collected and paid into the hands of the Treasurer of the Village Precinct.

Voted that upon all taxes on personal property and upon real estate, paid on or before the 15th day of July, 1926, a discount of five percent be allowed the tax payer and that upon all taxes on personal property and real estate, paid on or before the 15th day of September, 1926, a discount of three percent be allowed the tax payer.

Voted that the Precinct Commissioners be requested to confer before final settlement of their budget with the officers of such other divisions of the town as adopted in their annual meetings a resolution similar to this. The purpose of this conference shall be the discussion of the recom-

mended appropriations as a whole, and the proper correlation of the recommendations of the officers of each division with those of the others. That a summary of the recommendations of each of the groups of officers participating in this conference arrived at, after consideration of the information there obtained, be published in a separate section of the town report. This section shall contain the total of the budget and other recommendations of each participating division, with an estimate of its effect upon the tax rate, and a summary giving the combined effect of all the estimates and the resulting total tax rate within each division of the town. As a basis of comparison similar figures for previous years shall also be included in this section of the report. That until action to the contrary be taken the procedure thus outlined be considered as an established policy of the Precinct.

There being no further business the meeting adjourned at 8.45 o'clock P. M.

IRA W. LEAVITT,
Clerk.

BUDGET

Current Maintenance Expense

	Proposed 1926-27	*Expended* 1926-27	*Proposed* 1927-28
General Government			
Printing and stationery	200 00	308 16	300 00
Miscellaneous	1 000 00	1 269 55	1 100 00
	1 200 00	1 577 71	1 400 00
Protection of Persons and Property			
Police Department:			
Regular Service	2 250 00	2 150 00	2 250 00
Special	400 00	556 23	600 00
Heat and Light	150 00	285 60	250 00
Other Expenses	1 000 00	1 151 39	200 00
	3 800 00	4 143 22	3 300 00
Fire Department			
Fireman's Service	1 500 00	1 865 50	1 800 00
Light and Heat	200 00	196 02	200 00
Repairs and repl'm'ts	1 000 00	1 142 38	1 200 00
Other Expenses	300 00	306 50	300 00
	3 000 00	3 510 40	3 500 00
Health and Sanitation	200 00	165 70	200 00
Highways and Bridges			
Trunk Line	3 200 00	3 173 89	3 700 00
State Aid	2 950 00	2 923 46	3 200 00

Other	5 500 00	4 115 19	5 500 00
Oiling	1 200 00	1 385 83	1 200 00
Snow and ice	700 00	1 005 25	800 00
Sweeping	100 00	113 15	100 00
Sprinkling	50 00	65 46	50 00
Repairs & ren'l equip.	1 500 00	1663 06	1 500 00
Trees and shrubbery		27 70	
Miscellaneous	600 00		500 00
	15 800 00	14 472 99	16 550 00
Street Lighting	3 300 00	3 324 41	3 400 00
Water Dept. Rentals	1 950 00	2 067 00	2 100 00
Precinct Hall Property			
Walker House	200 00	183 65	200 00
Bly House	100 00	43 15	100 00
	300 00	226 80	300 00
Total for Maintenance	29 550 00	29 488 23	30 750 00
Interest			
Bonds			
Notes	600 00	838 21	800 00
Total for Current Expenses	30 150 00	30 326 44	31 550 00
Outlay for New Construction			
Highways and Bridges		41 80	
Sidewalks		3 025 30	
Water Co. Stock			
New Equipment		28 07	
Gould Farm		3 060 00	
Work for Outside Parties		168 30	
Total		6 323 47	
Bonds			
Notes	5 000 00	11 000 00	9 000 00
Totals, all purposes	35 150 00	47 649 91	40 550 00

SOURCES OF REVENUE

	Estimated 1926-27	*Received* 1926-27	*Estimates* 1927-28
Current Revenue from Local Taxes			
Precinct taxes	17 395 00	17 445 00	20 250 00
Town taxes, highways general	6 650 00	6 650 00	6 700 00
Town taxes state road	3 075 00	3 075 00	3 450 00
From state for highways	3 075 00	3 048 67	3 450 00
From Local Sources Except Taxes			
License Fees			
Rentals	1 350 00	1 350 00	1 350 00
Temporary loans		13 000 00	
Dividends	1 250 00	1 250 00	1 250 00
Town of Norwich			
Balance from last year	247 98	247 98	1 610 92
Miscellaneous		237 11	
Notes			
Sidewalks—abutters	1 916 81	860 60	2 200 00
Improvement Society	195 62	2 096 47	
	35 155 41	49 260 83	40 260 92

BALANCE SHEET

Current Assets	Jan. 31, 1926	Jan. 31, 1927
Accounts Receivable		
Cash on hand	247 98	1 610 92
Rent accrued		
From State, State Aid Construcoion		
From State Aid Maintenance		
Sidewalk Account	2 112 43	2 200 00
Other Assets (including Property or Trusts)		
Materials and supplies (Schedule)	948 60	604 50
Total Current Assets	3 309 01	4 415 42
Excess of current liabilities over current assets	6 690 99	7 584 58
	10 000 00	12 000 00
Current Liabilities		
Accounts Payable		
Interest Accrued		
Bond Coupons not presented		
Notes Payable	10 000 00	12 000 00
State Aid Construction		
State Aid Maintenance		
Total current liabilities	10 000 00	12 000 00

Other Assets		
Investments		
Capital stock (250 shares Hanover Water Co.)	25 000 00	25 000 00
Precinct Hall	7 000 00	7 000 00
Storehouse Property	3 500 00	3 500 00
Fire Department Equipment	8 000 00	8 000 00
Fire Department Alarm System	5 000 00	5 000 00
Other Equipment	6 130 00	6 510 25
Gould farm		3 000 00
Total other assets	54 630 00	58 010 25
Excess of current Liabilities over assets	6 690 99	7 584 58
Surplus	47 939 01	50 425 67
	54 630 00	58 010 25

SUMMARY OF RECEIPTS

	1925-26	1926-27
Current Revenue		
From Local Taxes		
Precinct tax	15 750 00	17 445 00
Highway tax required by law	6 650 00	6 650 00
Highway tax extra		
Highway tax for state aid	1 075 00	1 475 00
Highway tax for trunk line	1 130 00	1 600 00
	24 605 00	27 170 00
From State		
State aid construction		
State aid maintenance	1 574 65	1 461 73
Trunk line maintenance	1 131 16	1 586 94
	2 570 81	3 048 67
From local sources except taxes		
License fees		
Rentals	1 350 00	1 350 00
Hanover Water Co., dividends	1 276 41	1 250 00
From departments		
Street department, Hanover		198 30
Improvement Society	12 254 41	2 957 07
Miscellaneous	238 05	38 81
	15 118 87	5 794 18
Total current revenues	42 429 68	36 012 85
Receipts other than Current Revenue		
Temporary loans	18 398 85	13 000 00
Cash on hand first of year	573 60	247 98
	18 972 45	13 247 98
Total receipts from all sources	61 402 13	49 260 83

SUMMARY OF DISBURSEMENTS

Year ending January 31, 1926

Current Maintenance Expense	1926	1927
General Government—Schedule A	899 29	1 577 71
Protection of Persons and Property		
Police Department—Schedule B	3 317 74	4 143 22
Fire Department—Schedule C	3 544 50	3 510 40
Health and Sanitation—Schedule D	153 60	165 70
Highways and Bridges		
Maintenance—Schedule E	14 069 72	14 472 99
Street Lighting—Schedule F	2 796 01	3 324 41
Water Rentals		
Water Rentals—Schedule G	1 950 50	2 067 00
Precinct Hall Property		
Walker and Bly—Schedule H	512 86	226 80
Total Current Maintenance	27 244 22	29 488 23
Interest—Schedule J	649 86	838 21
Outlay for New Construction and Improvements		
Highway Construction—Sched. K	12 861 22	3 263 47
Moving Ellis House—Schedule N	3 000 00	3 060 00
Total outlay paid	43 755 30	36 610 47
Indebtedness		
Bonds—Schedule O		
Notes—Schedule P	17 398 65	11 000 00
Total indebtedness paid	17 398 65	11 000 00
Other Disbursements		
Total payments for all purposes	61 154 15	47 649 91

DETAILS OF EXPENDITURE

Schedule A—General Government	
Salaries of officers	235 00
Expenses of officers	199 84
Printing and stationery	308 16
Dump	426 39
Miscellaneous	408 32
Schedule B—Police	
Regular Services	2 150 00
Special Services	556 23
Heat and light	285 60
Other	1 151 39
Schedule C—Fire Department	
Firemen's services	1 865 50
Light and heat	196 02
Repairs and replacements	1 022 88
Fire alarm maintenance	119 50
Other expenses	306 50
Schedule D—Health	
Supplies	88 00
Services	77 70
Schedule E—Highways and Bridges	
Trunk line maintenance	3 173 89
State aid maintenance	2 923 46
Other maintenance	4 115 19
Oiling	1 385 83
Sweeping	113 15
Sprinkling	65 46
Snow and ice	1 005 25
Repairs and replacements of equipment	1 663 06
Trees and shrubbery	27 70
Miscellaneous	

Schedule F—Highway Lighting	
Lamp replacement	
Current	3 324 41
Schedule G—Water Department	
Rental of hydrants	2 067 00
Schedule H—Precinct Hall Property	
Walker House, repairs	95 03
Walker House, insurance, water, etc.	88 62
Bly House, repairs	17 85
Bly House, insurance, water, etc.	25 30
Schedule J—Interest	
Bonds	
Notes	838 21
Schedule K—Highway Construction	
Highway	
Sidewalks	3 025 30
Street drains, work outside parties	168 30
Additional Equipment	69 87
Water Co., Stock Gould Farm	3 060 00
Schedule O—Indebtedness	
Bonds	
Temporary Notes	11 000 00

ASSETS—STREET MACHINERY, TOOLS, ETC.

	Year ending Jan. 31, 1926	Jan. 31, 1927
Precinct's share of steam roller	1 200 00	1 200 00
Little Western road grader	70 00	70 00
Street Sweeper	60 00	60 00
Street sweeper broom		
Street scraper	70 00	70 00
Wheel Drag	50 00	50 00
Four-horse road machine		
Sprinkling wagon-truck	500 00	500 00
Road hone	55 00	35 00
Wheel scraper	20 00	20 00
Steam boiler trucks	50 00	50 00
Tarrant melting pot	70 00	70 00
2 pouring pots	3 00	3 00
1 Ford truck	300 00	300 00
4 snow plows	100 00	100 00
Gutter plow	125 00	125 00
1 hard pan plow	17 50	17 50
1 drag scraper	5 00	5 00
2 Stone drags	20 00	20 00
6 chains	35 00	35 00
Cleaning cart	5 00	5 00
Spraying cart	5 00	5 00
1 wheel truck	15 00	15 00
Rock lifter	30 00	30 00
2 box rolls	6 00	6 00
Pavement cleaner	3 00	3 00
1 hand roller	5 00	5 00
7 dumping boards	8 00	8 00
1 grindstone	2 50	2 50
4 Sand screens	5 00	5 00
10 turnbuckles	9 00	9 00
Set pulley blocks	10 00	10 00
1 desk	10 00	10 00
Jack screw	2 00	2 00

Lawn mower	9 00	9 00
2 oil tanks	6 00	6 00
2 oil cans	1 00	1 00
Battery	12 00	12 00
Sewer pipe cleaners	10 00	10 00
Tool box	5 00	5 00
Skids	3 00	3 00
Spreader	1 50	1 50
6 wheelbarrows		
Harness and pad	4 00	4 00
2 straight edges	5 00	5 00
2 dozen lantern globes	5 00	5 00
21 lanterns	8 00	8 00
19 lantern rods	8 00	8 00
51 shovels	25 00	25 00
9 scoop shovels	9 00	9 00
3 snow shovels	1 00	1 00
3 stone forks	2 00	2 00
7 spoon shovels	7 00	7 00
3 manhole dippers	4 00	4 00
5 hoes	2 00	2 00
Blow torch	5 00	5 00
Self-Propelling nozzle	50 00	50 00
Posthole digger	1 25	1 25
Road Machine	710 00	710 00
2 Cant hooks	4 00	4 00
375 feet Rope	35 00	35 00
2 Pruning Shears	3 00	7 00
1 Ice Scraper	2 00	2 00
13 picks	3 25	3 25
4 mattocks	2 50	2 50
5 rakes	3 50	3 50
10 iron bars	8 00	8 00
8 tampers	3 50	3 50
2 stamping irons	50	50
5 scythes	5 00	5 00
15 wrenches	8 00	8 00
6 street brooms	2 50	2 50

Water heater	4 00	4 00
6 pails	1 00	1 00
2 pair rubber boots	3 00	3 00
3 raincoats	10 00	10 00
3 axes	5 00	5 00
1 Reo truck	400 00	400 00
1 Scarifier	400 00	800 00
1 Tractor	800 00	800 00
3 Cross Cut Saws	15 00	15 00
Blacksmith tools	150 00	150 00
Tarvia Mixer	325 00	325 00
3 stable brooms	1 00	1 25
Oil heater	2 00	2 00
1 twenty-four-foot ladder	2 50	2 50
1 snow scraper	40 00	40 00
200 feet garden hose	10 00	10 00
2 forks	2 00	2 00
2 sets sleds	65 00	65 00
1 road snow plow	50 00	50 00
	6 130 00	6 510 25

ASSETS—SUPPLIES

Sewer pipe	434 00	100 00
Sewer pipe covers	45 00	
Cylinder oil	4 00	4 00
Machine oil	4 00	4 00
Tarvia	230 00	175 00
Asphalt	20 00	20 00
Caps and fuse	1 00	1 00
Lumber	25 00	15 00
Glass battery jars		
Battery zincs		
90 Cedar Posts		
3200 feet Fence Rails	7 50	8 00
80 feet iron culvert pipe 8-in.		28 00
1400 lbs. calcium chloride	38 00	30 00

50 gals. Medium oil	9 00	15 00
40 gals. Tractor oil	6 25	6 00
Grease	8 00	5 00
75 hemlock posts	4 00	
Lime and Cement	3 85	
5 Grates	12 50	7 50
22 gallons paint	80 50	10 00
10 tons crushed stone		40 00
10 gal. heavy oil		12 00
1000 gals. road oil		100 00
16 ft. 12 in. pipe		24 00
	948 60	604 50

ORDERS DRAWN 1926-27

1	Pay Roll, week ending Feb. 4, 1926 week ending Feb. 11, 1926		199 40
	L. H. Jones	35 00	
	J. W. Haff	26 00	
	D. Laura	10 68	
	C. R. Stone	9 00	
	F. I. Spencer	9 00	
	W. F. Hawes	8 00	
	Williams	7 13	
	L. H. Jones	35 00	
	J. W. Haff	24 00	
	D. Laura	10 68	
	Williams	15 13	
	B. Thornton	5 78	
	N. Locke	4 00	
2	Pay Roll, week ending Feb. 18, 1926		90 55
	L. H. Jones	35 00	
	J. W. Haff	24 75	
	D. Laura	10 68	
	Locke	2 22	
	A. Pelton	8 90	
	Stone	3 00	
	Spencer	3 00	
	Hawes	3 00	
3	Dartmouth Outing Club		200 00
4	N. H. State Firemen's Ass'n		13 00
5	Pay Roll—C. S. Roy		50 00
6	Pay Roll, week ending Feb. 25, 1926		71 90
	L. H. Jones	35 00	
	J. W. Haff	24 00	
	D. Laura	10 68	
	N. Locke	2 22	
7	H. B. Rood		125 00

8	Pay Roll, week ending March 4, 1926		92 81
	L. H. Jones	35 00	
	J. W. Haff	24 00	
	D. Laura	10 68	
	N. Locke	5 35	
	C. R. Stone	4 50	
	F. I. Spencer	4 50	
	W. F. Hawes	3 00	
	Elmer Tobin	5 78	
9	Clayton S. Roy		50 00
10	The Dartmouth Press		14 75
11	The Hanover Gazette		68
12	New Eng. Tel. & Tel. Co.		4 55
13	H. B. Rood		21 00
14	L. A. Ware		6 40
15	R. J. Putnam		2 75
16	Florence McCann		11 18
17	S. C. Rogers		320 72
18	Miller Auto Co.		3 48
19	Dartmouth College		18 00
20	Dartmouth Nat'l Bank		50 00
21	Grafton Co. E. L. & P. Co.		278 24
22	Thos. E. Ward		80 04
23	Sargent Coal Co.		54 82
24	Inn Stables Garage, Inc.		5 14
25	Gile & Brackett		47 00
26	New Eng. Broom & Supply Co.		39 75
27	Pay Roll, week ending March 11, 1926		91 96
28	Pay Roll, week ending March 18, 1926		85 68
29	Clayton S. Roy		50 00
30	Pay Roll, week ending March 25, 1926		154 13
31	H. B. Rood		125 00
32	Firemen Pay Roll, April 2, 1926		282 50
33	Pay Roll, week ending April 1, 1926		103 48
34	Pay Roll, week ending April 8, 1926		69 68
35	Pay Roll—C. S. Roy		50 00
36	Pay Roll, week ending April 15, 1926		76 95
37	Clayton S. Roy		50 00

38	Morgan Detective Agency	136	80
39	American Railway Exp. Co.	2	17
40	S. C. Rogers	80	35
41	Hanover Water Works Co.	54	50
42	Grafton Co. E. L. & P. Co.	543	00
43	Sargent Coal Co.	46	73
44	New Eng. Tel. & Tel. Co.	5	05
45	The Dartmouth Press	145	30
46	Gile & Brackett	11	00
47	Inn Stables Garage, Inc.	5	91
48	L. A. Ware	20	25
49	Pay Roll, week ending April 22, 1926	98	00
50	Mrs. Maude M. McFee	2000	00
51	Pay Roll, week ending April 29, 1926	155	81
52	Clayton S. Roy	50	00
53	Ralph W. Caswell	91	53
54	H. B. Rood	125	00
55	W. J. Record	41	50
56	International Paper Co.	2	50
57	Foamite-Childs Corp.	1	13
58	A. W. Guyer	12	85
59	C. D. Brown & Co.	2	05
60	Hanline Bros.	11	25
61	Ward, Baird Laughton	26	25
62	R. J. Putnam	90	25
63	Mass. Broken Stone Co.	56	44
64	S. C. Rogers	43	79
65	Grafton County E. L. & P. Co.	270	08
66	Eureka Fire Hose Mfg. Co.	650	00
67	American Gas Accumulator Co.	907	90
68	Pay Roll, week ending May 6, 1926	158	00
69	New Eng. Tel. & Tel. Co.	4	05
70	Inn Stables Garage, Inc.	14	11
71	Samuel Eastman Co.	35	00
72	R. J. Putnam		85
73	Sargent Coal Co.	36	68
74	The Dartmouth Press	27	75
75	Hanover Inn—for freight	46	58

76	Pay Roll, week ending May 13, 1926	126 00
77	Clayton S. Roy	50 00
78	Pay Roll, week ending May 20, 1926	169 56
79	Thos. E. Ward	54 38
80	The Gamewell Company	2 09
81	Kenneth N. Atkins	27 70
82	W. S. Darley & Co.	3 60
83	J. W. Dudley	14 00
84	W. H. Trumbell	16 90
85	Penn Metal Company	11 76
86	Dartmouth National Bank	100 00
87	Frank W. Gould	1000 00
88	Pay Roll, week ending May 27, 1926	183 50
89	Clayton S. Roy	50 00
90	H. B. Rood	125 00
91	Guy A. Roberts	192 12
92	Allen Drug Co.	6 30
93	The Barwood Press	6 25
94	W. G. Maccarty	20
95	Thos. E. Ward	67 84
96	Roy Brackett	12 37
97	Pay Roll, week ending June 3, 1926	200 72
98	Guy A. Roberts	227 54
99	Pay Roll, week ending June 10, 1926	212 40
100	Clayton S. Roy	50 00
101	Dartmouth College Band	35 00
102	Guy A. Roberts	480 80
103	Pay Roll, week ending June 17, 1926	189 10
104	H. K. Brown	41 50
105	Max Whitman	20 00
106	Pay Roll, week ending June 24, 1926	187 50
107	H. S. Knight	500 00
108	W. W. Cummings	100 00
109	Clayton S. Roy	50 00
110	Jennie M. Bridgman	75 00
111	S. C. Rogers	204 18
112	Philip H. Faulkner	5 00
113	H. B. Rood	125 00

114	Thos E. Ward	34 69
115	Grafton E. L. & P. Co.	539 21
116	Louis N. LaBombard	60 00
117	Foamite-Childs Corp.	58 50
118	Gile & Brackett	50 00
119	W. H. Trumbell	3 60
120	Grafton E. L. Co.	3 44
121	J. E. Cassin	2 50
122	Inn Stables Garage	1 32
123	Miller Auto Co.	2 37
124	American Fire Equipment Co.	74 49
125	The Hanover Gazette	11 25
126	Berger Mfg. Co.	145 40
127	Florence McCann	1 00
128	Gile & Brackett	5 10
129	Pittsburgh Plate Glass Co.	15 00
130	S. C. Rogers (Cancelled)	
131	Gile & Brackett	6 80
132	C. D. Brown	8 35
133	Sargent Coal Co.	11 10
134	George W. Rand & Son	50
135	New England Tel. & Tel. Co. (Cancelled)	
136	S. C. Rogers	1 00
137	Hanover Water Works	975 00
137½	Pay Roll, week ending July 1, 1926	183 95
138	Firemen's Pay Roll, July 3, 1926	349 50
139	H. S. Knight	400 00
140	Pay Roll, week ending July 8, 1926	140 50
141	Clayton S. Roy	50 00
142	Sterling Siren Fire Alarm Co.	2 40
143	Montgomery Ward & Co.	43 95
144	Pay Roll, week ending July 15, 1926	184 84
145	Dartmouth Nat'l Bank	6 168 61
146	H. S. Knights	580 06
147	New Eng. Tel. & Tel. Co.	16 60
148	Pay Roll, week ending July 22, 1926	184 78
149	Pay Roll, week ending July 29, 1926	178 00
150	H. B. Rood	125 00

151	Pay Roll, week ending August 5, 1926	166 89
152	Hanover Inn—Acct. C. S. Roy	100 00
153	H. S. Knights	500 00
154	H. K. Brown	41 70
155	L. A. Ware	56 07
156	Pay Roll, week ending August 12, 1926	130 44
157	Dartmouth Nat'l Bank	2 106 39
158	Pay Roll, week ending August 19, 1926	82 00
159	Pay Roll, week ending August 26, 1926	124 94
160	Hanover Inn—acct. Clayton S. Roy	50 00
161	J. A. Humiston	25 00
162	Hanover Inn—acct. Mr. Smith	15 00
163	H. B. Rood	125 00
164	Pay Roll, week ending September 2, 1926	189 00
165	C. S. Roy	50 00
166	Pay Roll, week ending September 9, 1926	182 00
167	H. S. Knights	500 00
168	Pay Roll, week ending September 16, 1926	195 50
169	Clayton S. Roy	50 00
170	Pay Roll, week ending September 23, 1926	167 50
171	Pay Roll, week ending September 30, 1926	144 95
172	C. S. Roy	50 00
173	H. B. Rood	125 00
174	Firemen's Pay Roll, October 4, 1926	261 00
175	Grafton Elec. Lt. & Power Co.	824 31
176	Dartmouth Nat'l Bank	62 50
177	Alden Speares Sons	1 364 02
178	American Fire Equip. Co.	5 45
179	Braman, Dow & Co.	45 00
180	C. D. Brown Co.	4 35
181	J. E. Cassin	3 00
182	Dartmouth Bookstore	5 70
183	The Dartmouth Press	23 50
184	Gamewell Co.	77 28
185	Gile & Brackett	14 06
186	Hanover Gazette	48 00
187	J. P. Hutchinson	7 00
188	C. M. Hildreth & Sons	23 40

189	Inn Stables Garage	5 98
190	Florence McCann	3 25
191	Miles Machine Co.	117 00
192	S. C. Rogers	275 97
193	New England Tel. & Tel. Co.	21 60
194	W. H. Trumbell	23 97
195	Thos. E. Ward	175 89
196	Pay Roll, week ending October 7, 1926	130 98
197	Montgomery, Ward Co.	41 75
198	Pay Roll, week ending October 14, 1926	132 22
199	Pay Roll, week ending October 21, 1926	154 44
200	C. S. Roy	50 00
201	N. H. State Firemen's Ass'n.	12 50
202	Pay Roll, week ending October 28, 1926	163 35
203	H. B. Rood	125 00
204	C. S. Roy	50 00
205	Pay Roll, week ending November 4, 1926	154 00
206	H. B. Rood	198 70
207	Pay Roll, week ending November 11, 1926	159 15
208	C. S. Roy	50 00
209	H. S. Knights	530 24
210	Grafton Elec. Light & Power Co.	271 91
211	New Eng. Tel. & Tel. Co.	13 20
212	R. J. Raymond	1 25
213	Ward, Baird & Laughton	80
214	L. A. Ware	8 30
215	Gile & Brackett	14 06
216	John B. Verick Co.	31 81
217	C. D. Brown Co.	11 07
218	Campus Cafe	3 50
219	Hanover Water Works	42 00
220	American Fire Equip. Co.	2 01
221	G. W. Rand & Son	2 30
222	A. H. Dutton	4 00
223	Edward M. Burnham	5 40
224	Inn Stables Garage, Inc.	2 38
225	Gamewell Co.	3 45
226	A. T. McKenzie	10 65

227	The Miller Auto Co.	179 87
228	Thos. E. Ward	57 97
229	W. H. Trumbell	192 95
230	S. C. Rogers	13 69
231	Pay Roll, week ending November 18, 1926	177 27
232	H. B. Rood	125 00
233	Pay Roll, week ending December 2, 1926	64 10
234	Pay Roll, week ending November 25, 1926	116 50
235	C. S. Roy, acct. of Hanover Inn	50 00
236	Pay Roll, week ending December 9, 1926	74 53
237	C. S. Roy	50 00
238	Pay Roll week ending December 16, 1926	70 70
239	C. S. Roy	50 00
240	Pay Roll, week ending December 23, 1926	62 56
241	Pay Roll, week ending December 30, 1926	76 03
242	Firemen's Pay Roll, January 3, 1926	247 50
243	H. B. Rood	125 00
244	Pay Roll, week ending January 6, 1927	95 35
245	Dartmouth College	19 20
246	The A-G-A Co.	13 00
247	R. J. Putnam	4 65
248	L. A. Ware	12 75
249	Miller Auto Co.	1 35
250	Dartmouth College	18 00
251	A. W. Guyer	4 75
252	The Dartmouth Press	5 25
253	Hanover Water Works	1 012 50
254	Thos. E. Ward	80 63
255	Grafton County Elec. Light & Power Co.	553 10
256	F. F. Davison	140 00
257	Sargent Coal Co.	139 73
258	S. C. Rogers	151 82
259	Rich Brothers	1 00
260	New England Tel. & Tel. Co.	10 55
261	Inn Stables Garage, Inc.	7 45
262	Hanover Gazette	14 00
263	Dartmouth College	1 63
264	Roy Brackett	43 00

265	C. S. Roy, acct. Hanover Inn		50 00
266	Pay Roll, week ending January 13, 1927		71 00
267	H. S. Perley		50 00
268	Dartmouth Nat'l Bank		3 350 71
269	Pay Roll, week ending January 20, 1927		101 81
270	C. S. Roy		50 00
271	Pay Roll, week ending January 27, 1927		96 64
272	Dartmouth Outing Club		250 00
273	H. B. Rood		125 00
274	Pay Roll, week ending February 3, 1927		73 17
275	C. S. Roy		50 00
276	S. C. Rogers		47 84
277	Clarence J. Paul		35 00
278	New Eng. Tel. & Tel. Co.		10 70
279	Thos. E. Ward		22 58
280	Miller Auto Co.		2 95
281	Dartmouth Bookstore		1 90
282	Sargent Coal Co.		105 37
283	Grafton County Elec. Lt. & Power Co.		280 76
284	American Fire Equip. Co.		12 46
285	W. E. Seward Auto Electrical Co.		10 49
286	Gile & Brackett		18 75
287	Roy Brackett		33 04
288	M. D. Bailey		6 80
289	H. J. Wood		1 25
290	Dartmouth Bookstore		30 00
291	Town of Hanover		596 04
292	Officers Salaries, February 15, 1927		290 00
	A. P. Fairfield	50 00	
	F. E. Parker	50 00	
	R. A. Lewin	50 00	
	C. L. Martin	40 00	
	Charles Lewin	50 00	
	A. W. Guyer	25 00	
	Albert Brown	25 00	
293	Town of Hanover		39 44

TREASURER'S REPORT

January 31, 1927

Balance on hand		247 98
Received from Town of Hanover	28 137 24	
Received from Water Co. dividends	1 250 00	
Received from Sidewalk, abutters	860 60	
Received from Sidewalk, Improvement Soc.	2 096 47	
Received from Rent	1 350 00	
Received from Dartmouth Nat'l Bank	13 000 00	
Received from miscellaneous	38 81	
		46 733 12
		46 981 10

Amount paid out as per Commissioners' orders	45 370 18	
Balance on hand	1 610 92	
		46 981 10

A. W. Guyer,
Treasurer of Precinct

Hanover, N. H.

February 28, 1927

I have examined the accounts of A. P. Fairfield, R. A. Lewin and F. F. Parker, Precinct Commissioners, for the fiscal year February 1, 1926 to January 31, 1927 and I find them to be correctly kept and supported by proper vouchers.

I have also examined the accounts of A. W. Guyer, Precinct Treasurer, for the same period and I find them to be correctly kept and supported by proper vouchers.

CLARENCE W. COFRAN,
Auditor

MUNICIPAL COURT OF HANOVER

Cases heard in the Municipal Court of Hanover in the year ending January 31, 1927.

Drunk	9
Larceny	7
Assault	4
Illegal parking	4
Adultery	3
Using profane or threatening language	2
Driving faster than a walk on Ledyard Bridge	2
Throwing glass in the highway	2
Manslaughter	1
Illegal appropriation of a motor vehicle	1
Obtaining money under false pretenses	1
Carrying a loaded revolver	1
Violation of the law of the road	1
Violations of the liquor laws:	
Illegal transportation	7
Keeping for sale	6
Sale	2
Manufacturing	1
Violation of the motor vehicle laws:	
Illegal or no registration	8
No license	4
Overspeeding or reckless driving	3
Improper breaks or lights	2
Driving under influence of liquor	1
Leaving scene of accident	1
Not stopping at request of officer	1

REPORT OF FIRE DEPARTMENT

The Fire Department consists of a Volunteer Company of twenty-five men with apparatus as follows:

One three ton International truck equipped with fifteen hundred feet of good rubber lined hose, a forty gallon chemical tank, and all other fixtures of a modern fire fighting weapon, including a motor driven pump.

One double tank Ford Chemical also well equipped to do quick and good work where a fire does not have to have water poured upon it.

One hose truck with a thousand feet of serviceable hose.

One hook and ladder truck with one fifty foot extension ladder and two thirty-five foot ladders.

The fire alarm system has been thoroughly overhauled during the year and new insulated wires strung all over town and twelve new alarm boxes have been added. A new storage battery has been installed at the fire house with automatic electric charging device of the very latest design.

It is proposed to add another larger Fire Truck sometime during the ensuing year, but at the present time all equipment is in the best and most satisfactory condition that it has ever been.

CHAS. H. LEWIN,
Chief

ANNUAL REPORT

OF

Town School District

OF

HANOVER, N. H.

1927

TOWN SCHOOL DISTRICT

School Board

Francis V. Tuxbury	Term expires 1927
Ransom S. Cross	Term expires 1928
Nathaniel A. Emerson	Term expires 1929

Treasurer

Frank G. Emerson

Truant Officer

W. G. Spencer

Superintendent

Charles W. Cutts

Teachers

Etna—*Grammar*—Grace E. Campbell
Etna—*Primary*—Ethel A. Tuxbury
Center—Mildred H. Hill
Highlands—Thalia L. Sloan
County Road—Kathrina E. Spencer
Pinneo—Ethel A. Grasse
Goss—Mertena B. Gardner
North Neighborhood—Muriel A. Ferson

WARRANT

State of New Hampshire, Grafton, ss.

To the inhabitants of Hanover Town School District, qualified to vote in district affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the school house in said district on Tuesday the eighth day of March, 1927, at two o'clock in the afternoon, to act on the following subjects:

1. To choose a Moderator for the ensuing year.

2. To choose by ballot a Clerk, a Treasurer, and an Auditor, each to serve one year.

3. To choose one member of the Board of Education for a term of three years.

4. To hear reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees, or other officers heretofore chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.

5. To see if the District will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $3,852.40 ($5 on a thousand of the equalized valuation) for the support of the elementary schools for the ensuing year.

6. To see if the District will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $5,179.60 for the payment of salaries of district officers, administration, tuition, per capita tax, etc., as set forth in the budget.

7. To see if the District will vote to petition the State Board of Education to unite the two school districts of Hanover.

8. To choose Agents, Auditors, Committees in relation to any subject in this warrant.

9. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands and seals this 21st day of February, 1927.

FRANCIS V. TUXBURY,
N. A. EMERSON,
School Board

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

FRANCIS V. TUXBURY,
N. A. EMERSON,
School Board

HANOVER TOWN SCHOOL MEETING

March 13, 1926

At a meeting of voters qualified to vote in district affairs the following actions were taken:

1. Harley H. Camp elected Moderator for one year.

2. Flora H. Camp, Clerk for one year; Frank G. Emerson, Treasurer; Harvey N. Camp, Auditor, all for one year.

3. Nathaniel A. Emerson was chosen for Board of Education for three years.

4. Reports of Agents, Auditors and other committees to be accepted as printed in the reports.

5. Moved and seconded to raise the sum of $3,726.47 asked, for the support of elementary schools.

6. Voted to raise $3,988.03 as asked for in the budget to carry on school work for the coming year.

7. Voted to pass over Article 7.

8. The following motion by Charles Haskins was passed: To rescind the vote of April 15, 1922 to mail reports seven days before meeting.

A motion by Lena Ferson to have a report of each meeting printed in the Town Report was carried.

A motion was made and after discussion was carried to have the school buildings in Town District insured.

Voted to put lightning rods on North Neighborhood school house; also Pinneo District, so-called.

Voted that the Board of Education be requested to set the date of the annual meeting of the Town School District on the same day as that of the annual Town meeting.

After discussion an estimate of $110 was made for the rodding of the two aforesaid school buildings. Therefore the motion was made and carried to raise the sum of $300 the part of such sum as may seem fit to use for rodding the two school buildings afore mentioned, and insuring school buildings in School District.

Moved that the Board of Education of the Hanover Town School District be requested to confer, before final settlement of their budget, with the officers of such other divisions of the Town as adopted in their annual meeting a resolution similar to this:

"The purpose of this conference shall be the discussion of the recommended appropriations as a whole, and the proper correlation of the recommendations of the officers of each division with those of the others.

"That a summary of the recommendations of each of the groups of officers participating in this conference, arrived at after consideration of the information there obtained be published in a separate section of the Town Report. This section shall contain the total of the budget and other recommendations of each participating division, with an estimate of its effect upon the tax rate, and a summary giving the combined effect of all the estimates and the resulting total tax rate within each division of the town. As a basis of comparison, similar figures for previous years shall also be included in this section of the report."

That, until action to the contrary be taken, the procedure thus outlined be considered as an established policy of the Hanover Town School District.

This motion was carried.

Motion was made and carried to adjourn.

FLORA H. CAMP,
Clerk.

For Fiscal Year Beginning July 1, 1925

RECEIPTS

From Selectmen, raised by taxation:		
For support of elementary school, ($5 on a thousand of equalized valuation)	3 726 47	
Extra for administration, tuition, per capita tax, special repairs, etc.	2 587 36	
		6 313 83
From Sources Other Than Taxation:		
Dog licenses (from Selectmen)	71 94	
Trust funds	54 67	
State aid	5 538 76	
Other receipts	8 39	
		5 673 76
Total receipts		11 987 59
Cash on hand July 1, 1925		2 717 70
Grand Total		14 705 29

REPORT
and Ending June 30, 1926.

PAYMENTS

Administration:		
Salaries of district officers	214 00	
Superintendent's excess salary	450 00	
Truant officer and school census	12 50	
Expenses of administration	90 64	
		767 14
Instruction:		
Teachers' salaries	6 984 00	
Text books	158 32	
Scholars' supplies	148 34	
Other expenses of instruction	21 50	
		7 312 16
Operation and Maintenance of School Plant:		
Janitor service	101 50	
Fuel	311 20	
Water, light, janitor supplies	71 05	
Minor repairs and expenses	321 60	
		805 35
Auxiliary Agencies and Special Activities:		
Medical inspection	50 00	
Transportation of pupils	1 034 80	
High school tuition	2 505 50	
Elementary tuition	1 041 00	
		4 631 30
Fixed Charges and Special Items:		
Insurance	157 50	
Alteration of old buildings	56 46	
Per capita tax	386 00	
		599 96
Total Payments		14 115 91
Cash on hand June 30, 1926		589 38
Grand Total		14 705 29

BUDGET

For Year Beginning July 1, 1927

Salaries of district officers	225 00	
Superintendent's excess salary	450 00	
Truant officer and school census	25 00	
Expenses of administration	100 00	
Teachers' salaries	6 900 00	
Text books	150 00	
Scholars' supplies	150 00	
Flags, etc.	15 00	
Other expenses of instruction	25 00	
Janitor service	250 00	
Fuel	400 00	
Water, lights, building supplies	75 00	
Minor repairs	150 00	
Medical inspection	150 00	
Transportation of pupils	1 200 00	
High school tuition	2 500 00	
Elementary tuition	1 000 00	
Special repairs	500 00	
Per capita tax	392 00	
		14 657 00

To meet the budget:

Tax required for state aid, $5 on a thousand of equalized valuation	3 852 40	
Local trust funds, estimated	75 00	
Dog licenses, estimated	50 00	
State aid, equalization fund, est.	5 500 00	9 477 40
Extra to be raised for administration, tuition, per capita tax, special repairs, etc.		5 179 60

DETAILS OF EXPENDITURES

ADMINISTRATION:

Salaries of district officers:		
H. N. Camp	2 00	
R. S. Cross	35 00	
N. A. Emerson	70 00	
H. H. Camp	2 00	
Flora H. Camp	5 00	
F. V. Tuxbury	70 00	
F. G. Emerson	30 00	
		214 00
Superintendent's Excess Salary:		
F. V. Tuxbury, Treas.		450 00
Truant Officer and School Census:		
W. G. Spencer		12 50
Expenses of Administration:		
Edson C. Eastman Co.	20 25	
Gile and Brackett	3 00	
The Dartmouth Press	64 20	
F. G. Emerson	3 19	
		90 64

INSTRUCTION:

Teachers' Salaries:		
Ethel A. Tuxbury	900 00	
Grace E. Campbell	900 00	
Muriel A. Low	828 00	
Thalia L. Sloan	648 00	
Kathrina E. Spencer	828 00	
Martha Boyden	648 00	
Ethel A. Grasse	720 00	
Margaret Forbes	720 00	
Mertena B. Gardner	792 00	
		6 984 00

Text Books:		
Houghton, Mifflin Co.	14 38	
Benj. H. Sanborn & Co.	27 16	
Ginn and Company	84 73	
American Book Co.	32 05	
		158 32
Scholars' Supplies:		
White River Paper Co.	61 77	
Kenney Bros. & Wolkins	33 94	
The Dartmouth Press	11 00	
R. E. Barrows	8 89	
Ethel A. Grasse	3 58	
Kathrina E. Spencer	3 30	
Milton Bradley Co.	2 76	
H. E. Hurlbutt	2 00	
Ethel A. Tuxbury	1 00	
J. L. Hammett & Co.	20 10	
		148 34
Other Expenses of Instruction:		
Hanover Special School District	12 25	
Ward, Baird and Laughton	1 75	
The Dartmouth Press	7 50	
		21 50
OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE OF SCHOOL PLANT:		
Janitor Service:		
H. F. Derby	14 00	
Muriel A. Low	18 00	
W. G. Spencer	5 00	
Raymond Noyes	20 00	
Frank Gauthier	14 50	
Geo. Linthwaite	15 00	
Martha Boyden	15 00	
		101 50

Fuel:

A. L. Camp	16 00	
Lewis Gee	3 00	
B. Hawley	3 00	
E. C. Bacon	58 00	
Wilbur LaBombard	107 00	
R. S. Cross	5 00	
C. R. Morfit	28 00	
William Rennie	15 70	
Frank Gauthier	33 50	
Henry Guyer	22 00	
Chas. A. Gardner	20 00	
		311 20

Water, Light, Janitor Supplies:

Grafton County Electric Light Co.	14 60	
Raymond Noyes	2 75	
Thos. E. Ward	3 30	
W. G. Spencer	2 40	
C. M. Hildreth & Son	8 80	
Martha Boyden	3 75	
Frank Gauthier	18 00	
Robert L. Tuxbury	10 80	
R. E. Barrows	6 65	
		71 05

Minor Repairs and Expenses:

A. M. Hayes	14 00
W. G. Spencer	10 75
Ethel Hewes	6 00
Mrs. Thomas Hamel	5 00
W. H. Trumbell	12 99
Thos. E. Ward	7 38
C. M. Hildreth & Son	71 84
Florence A. Elder	4 00
H. F. Derby	7 55
Raymond Noyes	7 00
Densmore Brick Co.	21 00

A. B. Hunt	7 20	
R. S. Cross	9 69	
J. J. Cocksedge	11 50	
Delia Fitts	75	
Francis V. Tuxbury	100 15	
Mrs. H. H. Cummings	4 40	
May Merrill, Treas.	8 00	
A. G. Ibey	4 80	
Frank Gauthier	1 70	
Elmer Dana	2 00	
Muriel A. Low	3 00	
		321 60

AUXILIARY AGENCIES AND SPECIAL ACTIVITIES:

Medical Inspection:		
Dr. H. T. French		50 00
Transportation of Pupils:		
Seymour Noyes	828 80	
Mrs. T. E. Covell	54 00	
James Henderson	108 00	
Mabel A. Rice	44 00	
		1 034 80
High School Tuition:		
Hanover Special School District	888 00	
Kimball Union Academy	80 00	
Lebanon School District	1 307 50	
Enfield School District	170 00	
Norman E. Gilbert (Exeter)	60 00	
		2 505 50
Elementary School Tuition:		
Hanover Special School District	755 00	
Enfield School District	36 00	
Lebanon School District	250 00	
		1 041 00

Fixed Charges and Special Items:

Insurance:	
Gile and Brackett	157 50
Alteration of Old Buildings:	
N. P. Clough & Co.	56 46
Per Capita Tax:	
Henry E. Chamberlain, Treas.	386 00
Total Payments	14 115 91

Francis V. Tuxbury,
N. A. Emerson,
School Board.

AUDITOR'S REPORT

This is to certify that I have examined the books and other financial records of the school board of Hanover Town, of which this is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1926, and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

HARVEY N. CAMP,
Auditor.

July 13, 1926.

TREASURER'S REPORT

Cash on hand June 30, 1925		717 70
Received from Selectmen, raised by taxation	8 313 83	
Dog tax	71 94	
Income from trust funds	54 67	
Other payments	8 39	
Received from State Treasurer	5 538 76	
Total receipts		13 987 59
Total available for fiscal year		14 705 29
Less school board orders paid		14 115 91
Balance on hand June 30, 1926		589 38

F. G. Emerson,
District Treasurer.

July 13, 1926

AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that I have examined the books, vouchers, bank statement and other financial records of the treasurer of the school district of Hanover Town, of which the above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1926, and find them correct in all respects.

Harvey N. Camp,
Auditor.

July 14, 1926

EXPENDITURES

From July 1, 1926 to January 25, 1927

Superintendent's excess salary	450 00
Truant officer and school census	12 50
Expenses of administration	3 00
Teachers' salaries	3 276 00
Text books	34 82
Scholars' supplies	90 16
Other expenses of instruction	18 57
Janitor service	49 50
Fuel	34 55
Water, light, and janitor supplies	16 83
Minor repairs	125 30
Transportation of pupils	581 00
High school tuition	1 296 83
Elementary school tuition	450 00
Special repairs (Lightning rods)	110 00
Per capita tax	360 00
Total	6 909 06

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT

To the School Board of Hanover Town School District:

I submit herewith my seventh annual report as superintendent of schools.

The year closed in June with the graduation of an unusually large class from the Eighth grade, nearly all of whom entered high school in September.

Teachers

Miss Mildred Hill, a graduate of Plymouth Normal, and a teacher of considerable experience, succeeded Miss Forbes at the Center, and Mrs. Low, now Mrs. Ferson, was transferred from the Arvin to the North Neighborhood, the Arvin school being closed for the year on account of the fewness of pupils. These constitute all the changes in the teaching force for the year. This fact of so few changes has contributed much toward the wellbeing of the schools. The more stable the teaching force becomes, the more regular and methodical the work becomes.

Buildings

Several of the buildings are in need of considerable repairs. It is in the interest of economy to keep the buildings in good condition, but it is still more important to render them in every way fit to promote the health and comfort of the children. The seating, the lighting, the ventilation, and the sanitary conditions are of prime importance, and should receive very careful attention. No expense within reason should be spared in the effort to render the buildings reasonably correct in these particulars. Much may

be done to improve the situation in these matters at several of the schools.

Health Supervision

The work in health supervision is exceedingly important, and we have been fortunate in having much good work done with little expense to the district. The arrangement whereby the community nurse provided by the Red Cross acted also as school nurse is no longer in effect. The services of the present Hanover school nurse, who has assisted Dr. French in his work in the schools in the Town district, have been entirely gratuitous. Her salary is paid in full by the Special school district. The three districts of this supervisory union should unite to employ a nurse to do the work of the entire union, and Hanover Special district would be glad to co-operate with Lyme and Hanover Town district in making this arrangement. I would earnestly recommend that this be done.

Attendance

In another place will be found a summary of the attendance for the year ending June, 1926, and certain comments are there made.

It wish to call further attention to two facts, first, the unnecessary amount of tardiness, and, second, the relatively low percentage of attendance. The tardiness is almost wholly inexcusable, and ought never to occur. The absences are largely due to sickness, but a very considerable number are entirely inexcusable. This irregularity of attendance interferes seriously with the work of the schools, and our standard of accomplishment has suffered much because of it.

I hope we may have the full co-orperation of the homes in the matter of improving the attendance record of the schools.

State Aid

We have been receiving from the state more than $5000 a year as state aid. This has paid considerably more than half of the cost of our elementary schools. We are now facing the probable loss of this aid. The law provides that in a town having two or more districts, neither shall receive any state aid if a $5 tax on a thousand of the equalized valuation of the whole town would pay the necessary expenses for all elementary schools of the town. This point is practically reached, and the State Department is looking into the matter. In fact the amount of state aid that will be received the coming year will be about half the amount estimated in the budget, and probably none at all thereafter. There is only one way to escape a very greatly increased school tax, and that is by combining the two districts of the town, and thus jointly supporting the schools of the entire town. I would suggest the advisability of taking steps at once to do this. The best procedure would be for the Town District to vote to petition the State Board to unite the districts.

I would suggest, therefore, an article be put in the warrant relative to the matter. This, at least, will give an opportunity to discuss the question.

Finances

The fiscal year closed June 30 with a relatively small balance on hand. Two items of expense have materially increased, namely the transportation of pupils, and the high school tuition. As a result, the present year will close with a very little, if any, balance.

If we lose the state aid, and the districts are not united, it will become necessary to raise much more than we have been raising, causing a very serious tax burden. This should probably be avoided.

Conclusion

The work of the schools during the present year is going along very satisfactorily. There has been some interruption on account of sickness, particularly at Etna. The teachers are without exception doing good work, and the pupils are responding in good spirits. The year's work should be excellently done.

I would suggest that parents and friends visit the schools often. Your interest manifested in this way will inspire both the teacher and the pupils.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES W. CUTTS,
Superintendent of Schools.

SUMMARY OF ATTENDANCE

For Year Ending June 1927.

School	Teacher	Enrollment	Av. Mem.	Av. Att.	P. C. Att.	Tardiness	Tardy. per Pu.
Etna-Grammar	Grace E. Campbell	23	22.08	20.28	91.80	37	1.67
Etna-Primary	Ethel A Tuxbury	21	18.75	17.3	92	8	.42
Highlands	Thalia L. Sloan	9	6.16	5.85	95	33	5.35
Arvin	Murial A. Low	12	9.12	8.43	91.33	11	1.2
Center	Margaret Forbes	14	10.05	9.12	90	81	8
Pinneo	Ethel A. Grasse	17	14.01	13.05	93.14	70	5
County Road	Kathrina E. Spencer	10	9.06	8.82	97.35	47	5.18
Goss	Mertena B. Gardner	19	14.78	13.28	89.85	42	2.84
No. Neighborhood.	Martha Boyden	9	9	8.76	97.33	104	11.55
	Totals or Averages	134	112.98	104.84	92.79	433	3.83
	Totals or Avs. 1925	137	122.54	113.17	92.35	412	3.36

The totals and averages for the year ending June 1925 are given for the sake of comparison.

It will be observed that the total enrollment, average membership, and average attendance decreased somewhat. The percentage of attendance increased a very little, and the tardiness was very poor.

The County Road school had the highest attendance record, with the North Neighborhood school a close second. The Etna Primary made the best record in the matter of tardiness, and the Arvin school was second.

GRADUATES

June, 1926

Etna

Muriel Priscilla Hayes
Verna Phoebe Monica
Gladys Mae Trumbull
Charles Ellsworth Tupper
Robert Lincoln Tuxbury

Arvin

Niles Alfred LaCoss
Helen Florence LaCoss
Arthur Francis Seace
Edward Ernest Tobin
Robert Eugene Tobin

Goss

Benjamin Franklin Adams
Richard Noyes
Edward Richard Ward

Highlands

Louis William Gauthier

North Neighborhood

Valma Maria Fogg

ROLL OF PERFECT ATTENDANCE

For Year Ending June, 1926

First Term

Muriel Slack
Dorrance Hayes
Kenneth Tuxbury
Helen LaCoss
Eliza Stevens
Thelma Goodfellow
Richard Noyes
Robert Tuxbury
Marcella Monica
Niles LaCoss
Homer Seace
Arthur Seace
Eleazer Hewes
Ethel Elder

Second Term

Muriel Slack
Richard Jones
Marion Hart
Kenneth Tuxbury
Wendell LaBombard
Eliza Stevens
Eleazer Hewes
Bertha LaCourse
Marietta Boyd
Robert Tuxbury
Edward Richardson
Victor Jones
Gladyce LaBombard
Louis Gauthier
Thelma Goodfellow
Peter Bollea
Ethel Elder
William Chase

Third Term

Robert Tuxbury
Gladyce LaBombard
Dorothy Eastman
Niles LaCoss
Eliza Stevens
Arthur Seace
Thelma Goodfellow
Josephine Bollea
Quentin Ward
Marietta Boyd
Valma Fogg
William Chase
Louis Gauthier
Albert Eastman
Helen LaCoss
Homer Seace
Wallace Morse
Peter Bollea
Richard Noyes
Ethel Elder
Margaret Boyd
Wendell LaBombard

For Entire Year

Robert Tuxbury
Thelma Goodfellow
Ethel Elder
Eliza Stevens
Eleazer Hewes